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Eight Nazis Hanged Says Berlin

Tells of Trial In Which They Admit Plotting To Kill Hitler

LONDON, Aug. 8—(AP)—Field Marshal Erwin Von Witzleben and seven other German army officers were hanged today, Berlin announced, after a trial in which they confessed plotting to kill Hitler and surrender Germany to the Allies.

This brought to 16 the announced deaths of alleged conspirators in the Berlin-proclaimed plot which culminated in the July 20 bomb explosion at a Hitler headquarters.

Today's executions took place two hours after conclusion of the trial of Von Witzleben and the seven others, all of whom had been expelled previously from the army.

DNB said the eight former officers, all out of uniform, went to trial yesterday before the people's court of Gestapo Chief Heinrich Himmler. Berlin previously had announced that a special "court of honor" expelled all eight from the army.

Berlin gave this acount:

Accused of Revolt

The officers were accused of participation in the assassination attempt "in order to stir up revolt in Germany, to assume command of the Wehrmacht, to seize state authority and to conclude a dishonorable peace."

When the chief of the defendants, former Field Marshal Erwin Von Witzleben, gave the German salute the president of the court declared, "The German salute may be given only by Germans who are men of honor."

On trial with Witzleben were former Maj. Gen. Erich Hoeppner, former Maj. Gen. Stieff, former Lt. Gen. Von Hase, former Lt. Col. Bernardis, former Capt. Friedrich Karl Klausing, former Lt. Von Hegen and former Lt. Count Yorck Von Wartenburg.

The proceedings were carried out in the senate of the people's court, highest German court. Dr. Roland Freisler was president and Chief Prosecutor Lautz headed the staff presenting the Reich's case.

Stieff, first to be questioned, answered a simple "yes" when asked if he had been involved in assassination plans as early as

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Writes of Guam Activities

Mrs. J. R. Sumners, 1117 East Tenth street, has received an interesting letter from Pfc. Frank Shelley, U.S.M.C., a friend of their son, J. P. Sumners. The two young men met during the Bougainville campaign and were separated when Rev. and Mrs. Sumners' son was hospitalized with malaria.

The letter from Pfc. Shelley was written from Guam on July 31, and in it he writes: "I was up to the old Marine baracks to watch the Flag go up, and just to see it wave in the breeze made a lump come in my throat, for that is the first Flag (U.S.) on Guam since 1941."

The stationery used is Japanese, "for that is the only kind that I can get hold of," Shelley explained.

"I am trying to write this letter in my fox hole and keeping one ear and eye out of the fox hole . . . What I would give for a nice soft bed and a good night's rest, but I guess we will some day," continued Shelley, who earlier in the letter had said that "things have been very tough the last two weeks."

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Mrs. Lois Orchutt, 907 East Seventh street and Mrs. Elmer Schrader, 300 East Twenty-fourth street admitted for medical treatment.

Jack Gregory, 720 East Sixteenth street, admitted for tonsillectomy.

Mrs. Bennie R. Smith of Edwards, Mo., and Mrs. Almeda Clements, 520 South Washington avenue, admitted for surgery.

Mrs. James Furrill and infant son, Green Ridge; Mrs. Clyde W. Hemp, 1016 South Harrison avenue; W. P. Coe, 1208 East Ninth street and Mrs. Bryon E. Evans and daughter, route 3, Sedalia; Mrs. William O. Zink and son, Knob Noster; Mrs. Stanley Rages, star route, Smithton; Miss Marlene Lewis Arnold, 667 East Fourteenth street and Miss Betty Jane Monsees, dismissed.

Miss Pauline Porter, 1618 South Harrison avenue, and Mrs. Effie M. Staats, 403 West Broadway, admitted for medical treatment.

French Girl Dances



In a street in Rennes an excited French girl dances with Rosario T allionto of Brooklyn, New York. (Signal Corps Radiotelephoto to NEA)

Duke Shoop of Kansas City Escapes Death

Meets Nazi Soldiers While on Way to Find American Group

(Duke Shoop, war correspondent for the Kansas City Star, who has recently referred to Sedalia youths fighting in Normandy, and who is well known in Sedalia, is the subject of the following article.)

By Richard L. Stokes

War Correspondent of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch (Distributed by the Associated Press)

NORMANDY, Aug. 8—(By wireless)—Now that the American forces have rounded the shoulder of the Brittany peninsula, a type of warfare has developed in whcih anything is possible. But nothing more fantastic could happen than a recent incident in which Duke Shoop, correspondent for the Kansas City Star, escaped death or capture by a 10-minute margin.

Early one morning United States naval officers in a seacoast town heard or thought they heard over the radio an announcement that American troops had occupied a Brittany port. Without a further checkup they decided to take their unit of Seabees in to begin a survey of harbor facilities.

It was an elegant cavalcade that set forth. In contrast to the bedraggled, grimy and unshaven army troops on the way to the front, the naval officers were spick and span in fresh summer uniforms, the Seabees dapper in theri spotless blue denim overalls.

Few Weapons

But they had no armored vehicle and no weapons except carbines and the officers' pistols. There were no machine guns or tommy guns, not even a single Garand rifle. None of the Seabees had ever been under fire.

On the road they were joined by an army lieutenant colonel, a corps liaison officer who had heard the same broadcast. They also were overtaken by a press jeep containing Shoop and three or four other correspondents.

The most gregarious of souls, Shoop distinguished himself early in the current mission by his great zeal in hunting out classmates and alumni of the University of Missouri, where 20 years ago he was the crack center on the football team.

After a pleasant chat, it was decided that they would all go on together, the navy men to inspect the town, Shoop in happy pursuit of classmates who were reported in considerable numbers among

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Roof Caves In, Kills 19

ROME, Aug. 8—(AP)—The roof of a British Army workshop near Rome caved in during a heavy rain yesterday and killed 19 persons. Four were British troops. Others possibly were trapped and 26 were injured.

The Weather

Missouri—Generally fair tonight, Wednesday and Thursday, somewhat warmer Wednesday and in east portion tonight; highest temperature Wednseday 95-100 in west and south; 95 in northeast portion; continued hot Thursday.

Central Missouri: Fair and warmer tonight, tomorrow and Thursday.

Temperature:
7 a.m. 62 degrees;
3 p.m. 94 degrees.

Sunrise 6:20 a. m. Sunset 8:17 p. m.

Lake of the Ozarks 1.5. Rise .1.

Far Sighted

OKLAHOMA CITY —Sailor Charles Watts, aboard ship in the Atlantic, wrote a hotel here requesting reservations for the bridal suite, 10 adjoining rooms and a wedding dinner for 20. He added he'll need all this two weeks after that unknown time when he arrives in the U. S.

The hotel is cooperating by notifying customers in and around the bridal suite that they may have to vacate at a moment's notice.

Find Boy Who Stole Auto

Jesse Lee Brown, 20, Sikeston, who escaped from Algoa Farms intermediate reformatory Sunday, was apprehended south of Otterville Monday night by State Trooper Lloyd Amos, while he sat on a steam engine in a pasture. A tip from residents in Otterville to Sedalia police informed them a man believed to have been the one who wrecked a LaSalle coupe, stolen from Jefferson City, was in the vicinity.

The Sedalia police notified State Trooper Amos, who hurriedly drove to Otterville. As he came from the field with the boy he was met by troopers of the patrol who had been sent to the scene from the Jefferson City area. Brown was turned over to them and returned to Jefferson City.

The car was found in a soybean field a short distance east of Smithton near highway 50, where the driver lost control of the vehicle. It was found by Trooper Peter Stohr. The car had been reported stolen from the Capital City Oil Co., according to a radio dispatch from patrol headquarters.

A check of truck drivers was made by Trooper Stohr and he learned the driver of a milk truck saw the car speeding westward about 6:20 o'clock Monday morning. The car was found about 9:40 o'clock.

Apparently the driver lost control of the car and it had skidded across the pavement to the left side of the road, into a ditch and turned completely over landing upright in the field.

Dance Wednesday Night

Trucks will leave the USO early for the dance at the base Wednesday night. GSO girls are asked to be at the USO at 6:45 o'clock as the trucks will leave promptly at 7 o'clock.

USO Board Meeting

The regular board meeting will be held Thursday night at the USO. The meeting will start promptly at 7:30 o'clock so members may attend the band concert at Liberty park at 8:30 o'clock.

Services On V-Day

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 8—(AP)—Kansas City churches will hold Thanksgiving services on V-day, the day hostilities cease in Europe.

Mrs. Franks is Again Head Of Auxiliary

Women Planning For Convention In September

The American Legion Auxiliary Post No. 16 met Monday night at the Parish hall and after the opening of the meeting, election of officers was held. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. James Franks, who was re-elected for a second year; first vice-president, Mrs. Frank Piper; second vice-president, Mrs. S. J. Timborious, who was also re-elected; secretary, Miss Linden Lee Jones; treasurer, Mrs. Lee Farley; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. B. B. Bettis; historian, Mrs. R. R. Bates; and chaplain, Mrs. Alice White, who has served for many years.

An announcement of the forthcoming convention of the American Legion to be held in Jefferson City September 3 and 4 was made. The following delegates were elected to the convention: Mrs. James Franks, Mrs. Ira K. Espe, Mrs. Linden Lee Jones, Mrs. Richard Woods, and Mrs. B. B. Bettis. Alternates elected: Mrs. S. J. Timborious, Mrs. Pete O'Brien, Mrs. Lee Farley, Mrs. Alice White, and Mrs. F. A. Boysen.

Bought War Bond

The seventy-five dollar war bond that was purchased by the group was presented and turned over to the treasurer. There were reports by the delegates made of the district meeting held here Sunday. Mrs. A. W. Spurlock

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Allege Sale Price is High

The first suit to be filed in the Pettis county court under the OPA Emergency Control Act, with reference to overcharges, is that of James Morton and Flossie Morton, 318 West Broadway against Miss Virginia Dempsey. The plaintiff's allege in their petition the defendant overcharged them when they bought a used electric refrigerator.

The petition states the defendant charged $125 for the refrigerator, on which they paid $50, while under the OPA ceiling price the refrigerator is $13.50. In accordance with the Emergency Act the plaintiff's are permitted to ask three times the overcharge.

Fred F. Wesner, attorney for the Morton's stated he felt the overcharge would be three times the price asked or $375, which he asks, plus $36.50 and other costs.

The Mortons state they purchased the refrigerator on or about November 13, 1943.

Lt. Wallace Hunt Has Medal, Clusters

Lt. Wallace Hunt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray W. Hunt, 112 West Fourth street, has received the air medal and two oak leaf clusters according to word received by his parents.

Lt. Hunt has been overseas since April 5 and since that time has been on twenty-one missions. He is stationed in England at present.

Reduction In Electric Rates Here

Council Accepts Offer Made By H. C. Feuers On Billing Plan

The City Council, meeting in regular session Monday night, voted to accept an offer made by H. C. Feuers, president of the City Light and Traction Company, for a reduction in rates to its electric consumers now being served under tariffs on file with the Public Service Commission, including the City of Sedalia for street lighting and other requirements, but not including wholesale or other customers served under special contract. The plan is to omit billing for such service until the total amount of such ommission of billing would aggregate $50,000.

It is estimated that this service may be rendered in this aggregate amount during all of the month of September and a portion of October, excluding wholesale or those served under special contract, will, under the plan receive a free bill for the month of September and for the month of October an estimated percentage in billing to the extent that the total amount for unbilled service for the two months aggregate $50,000.

New Schedule Of Rates

The company further offers to file with the Commission new schedules of electric rates to become effective January 1, 1945, which new schedules will reflect a saving to the retail customers, on an annual basis, of not less than $25,000.

Reason for Reduction

The cut in rates, Alderman Keenan explained during the meeting, is the result of an attempt on the part of the city to purchase the City Light & Traction Company, and operate it as a municipal plant. Becaue of many technicalities this could not be done, he said, and the company was purchased by a Warrensburg corporation. Negotiations were then begun between the city council members and the company representatives for the reduction.

N. P. Mueller City Clerk

Norman P. Mueller, 37, who resides at the Terry apartments, was unanimously named city clerk to succeed E. J. Thomas, who has resigned to accept a position with the Pepsi Cola Bottling Co. Mr. Mueller's wife is the former Miss Maxine Hunt, a Sedalia girl. They have a daughter, Karin Lee, aged two years. Mueller has been employed at the Sedalia Army Air Field as statistical clerk with the production control department.

Approve Releasing Police

Two resolutions were passed approving the action of Mayor A. H. Wilks in removing from service two police officers, Ray George

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Pineapples Costly

LONDON, Aug. 8—(AP)—Londoners had pineapples today for the August Bank holiday—at a cost of from $16 to $21 each.

Watermelons were $7 apiece, grapes about $5 a pound and peaches 80 cents to $1.50 each

Soldier's Body Found

LAKE OZARK, Mo., Aug. 8—(AP)—The body of Pvt. Sanford Stuckmeyer of Cottage Grove, Wisc., was recovered early last night from Lake of the Ozarks, where he drowned Sunday while swimming.

Great Allied Pincers Clamp Nazi Defenses Guarding Paris; Reds Capture 60 Communities

National Group Of Free Germany Urges Trapped Men To Surrender

By Daniel De Luce

MOSCOW, Aug. 8—(AP)—A new eruption of Red army attacks which captured more than 60 communities beyond the enemy's broken Vistula river defenses threatened today to strangle German communications between Krakow and Warsaw in the heart of Poland.

Striking out afresh yesterday from the Vistula bridgehead, Marshal Ivan S. Konev's First Ukraine Army reached points 30 miles west of the river, Soviet field dispatches said.

Thrusting beyond newly-occupied Szydlow, the Russians directly menaced Kielce, astride highway and rail arteries 25 miles to the northwest. The direction of the drive raised the possibility the Red army troops might outflank Krakow on the north.

Last reports placed Soviet spearheads within 37 miles of Krakow, last big Nazi bastion before German Silesia, now 75 to 90 miles away.

Moscow's guns sounded last night for twin victories—the fall of the oil center of Boryslaw in the Carpathians, and the capture of Sambor, communications hub whose fall gave the Russians a grip on five routes leading into nearby Czechoslovakia.

Regain Oil Wells

(Information available in London indicated that through capture of Boryslaw the Russians had regained some 2,000 Galician oil wells which had been feeding the Nazi war machine. The Germans thus were left only the Ploesti fields in Romania, which have been repeatedly bombed by Allied airmen.)

Far to the north three powerful Soviet armies began a pincers movement on German East Prussia along a 200-mile front. One of these—Gen. Ivan C. Bagramian's First Baltic Army — bent back sagging German defenses in Lithuania in twin drives toward Memel and Tilsit, key East Prussian cities. His troops captured 50 towns and villages, including Saukenai, 77 miles east of the Baltic port of Memel.

Bagramian's troops, who last week plunged to the Baltic coast below Riga, advanced as much as 20 miles yesterday in this new surge toward the sea.

To the south the capture of 40 communities, including Andrusaiciai, put other Red army troops 53 miles east-northeast of Tilsit.

(The National Committee of Free Germany, broadcasting from Moscow last night, urged the German troops trapped in the northern Baltic area to surrender because "a break out toward East Prussia is impossible.")

Report Raids at Shanghai

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 8—(AP)—Government monitors here heard a broadcast today from Chungking giving a brief bulletin from the China Central News Agency reporting a raid by a force of B-24 Liberators against the dock installations at Shanghai. The broadcast made no claims as to damage.

Expect New Finnish Cabinet

STOCKHOLM, Aug. 8—(AP)—An announcement was expected today on the formation of a new Finnish cabinet which presumably will be called upon to negotiate peace with Russia.

U. S. Bombers Hit Hinge of German Lines

LONDON, Aug. 8—(AP)—A thousand American heavy bombers struck a second tremendous blow today at the hinge in German lines below Caen and ranged widely over France attacking air fields and flying bomb installations.

An estimated 1,800 tons of bombs were cast on German lines before the advancing Canadian First Army in the same area pulverized last night by 1,000 British heavy bombers which dropped around 6,700 tons. About 600 Flying Fortresses and Liberators participated in this action.

Some 400 others beat up airfields at Romilly Sur Seine, 55 miles northwest of Paris, and at Ie Perthe, northwest of Rommilly. They also bombed the platforms from which robot bombs are hurled at England.

Up to 750 Mustang, Lightning and Thunderbolt fighters escorted the American bombers.

Reconquest Of Island of Guam is Near

Tokyo Reports American Planes Over Philippines

U. S. PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, Pearl Harbor, Aug. 8—(AP)—American Marines and soldiers on Guam have compressed several thousand squirming Japanese into the northern one-tenth of the island, bringing complete reconquest of the former U. S. naval base very near today.

Other bad tidings for the enemy: Apparent neutralization of Yap island, once mighty Japanese airbase in the Carolines 600 miles southwest of Guam.

Slicing o fthe Japanese supply line between Aitape and Wewak in British New Guinea.

Reports — Tokyo originated — of American airplanes over the Philippines on Monday (U.S. time)

The Tokyo radio said a large plane dropped "three small bombs

By John R. Henry
Representing the Combined Allied Press

ABOARD AMPHIBIOUS ATTACK FORCE FLAGSHIP, Guam, Aug. 8——(via Navy radio)—Struck by a determined thrust of the 77th army division, Japanese defending the town of Yigo fled in pandemonium and swift capture of the village came as a pleasant surprise to soldiers and marines pressing relentlessly onward today to the northern shores of Guam.

harmlessly into the sea" near Davao, Mindanao, at 1 a. m. An hour later another plane "fled before reaching Davao."

There were no substantiating reports from Lt. Gen. George C. Kenney's far eastern air force, which patrols from the Australia-New Guinea area toward the Philippines. There has been no Allied air attack upon the Philippines

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In Powerful Counter-attack Planes Knock out 163 Enemy Tanks

By Wes Gallagher

OUTSIDE ST. POIS, France Aug. 8—(AP)—An American column driving 6 miles southeast of Mortain entered the town of Barentan today.

By Gladwin Hill

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS, AEF, Aug. 8—(AP)—A great Allied pincers clamped German defenses guarding Paris today. Canadians blasted four miles into the stoutest Nazi line below Caen, and U. S. armored spearheads were reported in Le Mans, only 110 miles southwest of the French capital.

The Canadian-American drives edged forward at both ends of a curving 100-mile front, while in the center other U. S. forces had smashed a powerful German steel counterthrust, with planes alone knocking out 163 enemy tanks.

Battles still swirled in this middle sector where four German armored divisions — mounting the city of Falaise, 20 miles southeast 6—sought to crash through the Allied corridor joining Normandy and Brittany. The town of Mortain, swept up in the assault, was recaptured by doughboys.

A front dispatch said advanced units of the U. S. offensive to the south—hitting eastward from Mayenne and Laval—had entered Le Mans, communications network forming a key to Paris.

The Canadian First army on the Allied left flank burst forward at midnight after a bomb barrage by 1,000 RAF heavy bombers, and broke the first main enemy defense line south of Caen, advancing up to four miles.

Novel Tactics

Novel tactics marked the assault. The bombers flew in close ground support for the first time in darkness, and Canadian artillery tracer shells spotted the targets for them just ahead of the Allied line. The Allied planes hurled down 6,700 tons of explosives and then Canadian armor rolled forward in the fire-licked blackness — the first major night attack by tanks in France. Infantrymen followed, digging out the Germans.

The Canadian push was pointed in the direction of the road hub city of Falaise, 20 miles southast of Caen.

The Canadian First army, which also includes some British units, swept through the blasted strongpoints of May-sur-Orne and St. Martin-de-Fontenay east of the Orne river which the Germans have defended fanatically for weeks.

A furious battle was reported raging around bitterly contested Tilly-la-Campagne, five miles below Caen. The town long since has been demolished but remains a valuable artillery position.

Joseph Smasal Is Home Today

"I just wanted to go someplace" said Joseph Smasal, 15-year-old Spring Fork boy, who returned to Sedalia this morning after an absence of more than three months, during which time a wide search was made for him. He was accompanied by his father, Frank Smasal, of Spring Fork, who went to LaCosta, Texas, for him.

Both father and son seemed happy to be reunited, and they left this afternoon for their home at Spring Fork where Mrs. Smasal and her other children awaited their arrival.

Joe said he had been woking on the King ranch, "punching cows." He looks exceptionally well, has purchased new clothing, and said he was getting along fine on the ranch, but of course is happy to be back home.

'Not Clark' Says Donnelly

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 8.—(AP)—The Post Dispatch quotes Phil M. Donnelly today as saying that if he becomes governor and a vacancy occurs in the United States senate by election of Senator Harry S. Truman to the vice presidency he will not appoint Senator Bennett Champ Clark to the place.

Clark lost his bid for renomination for a third term to Attorney General Roy McKitrick in last week's primary.

"I don't wish to give offense to Clark or his friends," the newspaper quoted Donnelly as saying in a telephoned interview, "but I certainly would not appoint Clark now, after the people have turned him down. I wouldn't think it would be advisable or practical to appoint him in view of the results of the primary. I don't have anybody in particular in mind for the position. I haven't been asked by anybody for the appointment and I haven't made any promises."

Poet Laureate of California Dies

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 8—(AP)—John Steven McGroarty, 81, kindly, colorful poet who romanticized the history of California with his writings and included in his career two terms as a representative in Congress, died last night at St. Vincent's hospital.

The writer, Poet Laureate of California and for many years a Los Angeles Times columnist, was the author of "The Mission Play," estimated to have been seen by more than 2,500,000 people in 3,200 performances since it was first staged in San Gabriel, April 29, 1912. It was a drama of Father Serra, the colonizer of California, and dealt with the history of the missions.

Sedalia Army Air Field Is Two Years Old

Today the Sedalia Army Air Field, west of this city, celebrates its second anniversary. The field was activated on August 8, 1942 with the assignment of the first commanding officer who was Lieutenant-Colonel Robert H. Wheat, since promoted to colonel and transferred to Bowman Field, Ky.

Actually the first move of construction of the SAAF was May 8, 1942 when work of surveying was begun. Within a few short days the formation of an army base was well underway, and assignment of army personnel began to arrive in the mid-summer.

From a "mud hole" to a well-organized little city in itself has the SAAF grown, and now under the command of Colonel Jerome B. McCauley, it is considered one of the most important fields in the First Troop Carrier Command.

In observance of this anniversary Colonel McCauley issued the following message to the personnel of SAAF:

Colonel's Message

"On this, the second anniversary of the Sedalia Army Air Field, I wish to congratulate and thank the personnel of this field for their cooperation in the important work that is being accomplished at this base.

"You are all a part of the great tradition of this troop carrier base, and I say "great" because in the tradition of this field is the story of all the men who trained here and of the deeds they have accomplished on the fighting fronts—deeds which have become an accepted and well-known legend in the story of this world-wide conflict.

"The way has been rough and will continue to be rough until victory is ours. War is hard, and the harder it is fought, the sooner will that victory be won."

The only officer of the first staff, under Colonel Wheat, who is still on the field is Captain Lovette L. Hill, now Base Special Service Officer, who arrived just five days after Colonel Wheat. He was followed on August 21, by Captain Frank H. Kiesewetter, who was appointed as base adjutant, which duties are now filled by Captain W. John Duffy.

First Enlisted Men Here

Also the first two enlisted men to arrive at the base are still part of the personnel. They are: Staff Sergeant Libero F. Gallo and

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Col. Jerome B. McCauley

DAILY WASHINGTON

merry-go-round

by Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8 — This column, it should be noted in advance, is likely to be dull. But if you are interested in keeping your son or husband out of another war, it should be important.

The United States and Great Britain are just concluding the first agreement aimed to remove the danger of war — an agreement on oil.

Oil is one of the most ticklish economic subjects in the world. Oil is what makes a nation's battleships move, runs the automobiles, sends the planes into the air —in fact, spells the difference between a nation of strength or a nation which must bow to the whims of others. The present oil agreement seeks to settle the battle for oil; eliminate one important cause of war.

The last war was scarcely over when Great Britain began maneuvering to corner the oil supplies of the world. British leaders were quite frank about it.

"The British position is impregnable," said Sir Edward Mackay Edgar, British petroleum banker. "All the known oil fields, all the likely or probable oil fields, outside of the United States itself, are in British hands or under British management or control, or financed by British capital."

Mr. E. G. Pretyman, member of parliament and former civil lord of the admiralty, was equally frank. "When the war came," he said, "the British government controlled about two percent o fthe world's petroleum supplies. . . . Now, when adjustments are completed, the British empire will not be very far from controlling one-half of the available supplies of petroleum in the world."

United States Protests

Finding itself in this position, the United States government jumped into the battle for oil with vigor. The secretary of state, Charles Evans Hughes, wrote a series of blunt, bare-faced notes to the British, wanting to know why they barred American oil companies from Palestine, since Palestine was not British but merely mandated to the British by the league.

Hughes was equally peremptory over the barring of U. S. companies from Burma and the Dutch East Indies. Feelings were aroused on both sides. It was not a happy situation.

Meanwhile, the British, though barring the U. S. from their areas of interest, quietly invaded ours. They turned up with concessions in Colombia, not far from the Panama canal. Even in Panama proper, a British gold mining company staked out a huge and suspicious claim in an area where no gold was known to exist.

Thus, until about the time the East Texas oil fields came in, alleviating our immediate worries over the diminishing supply of oil, that precious black commodity was our chief source of friction with a nation which had recently been our valiant ally in the war.

History Begins to Repeat

In World War II, history at first began to repeat. The five senators who toured the world war fronts came back with the story of how the USA was rapidly depleting her oil reserves while the British were hoarding theirs. They told how the British were trying to keep us from further developing oil resources in Arabia; how the British had a refinery on the Gulf of Persia, 50 percent idle, while we shipped oil clear across the Atlantic to British armies in the Near East.

Yes, it looked as if history would repeat.

On last April 29, however, representatives of British and American governments negotiated an informal understanding aimed to eliminate the oil battles of the future. It was an excellent, farsighted agreement. And during the last two weeks in Washington, Lord Beaverbrook and his associates have been negotiating with Secretaries Ickes and Hull to make this informal oil agreement formal and binding. This time, the British have been far more cooperative and far-sighted than in 1919 —with one possible exception.

After U.S.-British experts laid their excellent April 29 ground work, Lord Beaverbrook kicked over the traces at some things and he seems to be keeping a more watchful eye on the interests of the Empire than on a fair future peace. For instance, he has been insisting that Britain have the right to ban the sale of U. S. oil in England, despite the fact that British Shell sells in this country. However, the basic agreement is truly encouraging when it comes to future peace.

Provisions of Agreement

It provides, first: "That petroleum shall be available in international trade to the nationals of all peace-loving countries in adequate volume, at fair prices and on an equitable and non-discriminatory basis."

It goes further and provides that all resources shall be developed "with a view to the availability of adequate supplies in both countries as well as other peace-loving countries, subect to provisions of collective security."

This means that, if the USA runs out of oil or vice versa, it is up to Britain to help supply us unless, for example, one or the other attempts to conquer Ethiopia as Mussolini did, and the world peace machinery countries attempt to cut off their oil as the League tried to do to Italy but, because of pressure from the big companies, could not do.

The agreement also gives "equal opportunity" for "acquisition," "development," etc., in areas under concession. This eliminates cutthroat rivalry for new fields. Each nation is to respect the valid concessions of the other and its citizens.

Finally, and very important, "exploration, development, operation of refineries and distribution shall not be hampered by restrictions imposed by either government or its nationals."

There are various other provisions too long to be detailed here, including provisions for an international petroleum council; a multilateral oil treaty by which Russia and other nations can line up with Britain and the USA in plans for conservation; estimates for supplying long-range demand; plans for oil distribution among the various countries.

Finally, Britain and the U. S. undertake to obtain the collaboration of other governments in this very important agreement for eliminating future friction over one of the world's most ticklish questions. If there can be more agreements of this kind, with not too much of the Beaverbrook and Adolf Berle type of diplomacy, there may be real hope for permanent peace.

"Missouri Day" Celebrated in Idaho



Observing their home state's anniversary of admittance to the Union are these uniformed Missourians now in Naval training at the Farragut Naval base in Idaho. This picture was made at the USO Club at Sandpoint, Ida one of almost 3,000 throughout the land supported by the American people by the contributions to the National War Fund The Sandpoint Kiwanis Club helped USO celebrate Missouri night in advance of the state anniversary date.

Missouri was admitted to the Union August 10, 1821. The Kiwanians furnished ice cream and a cake decorated with a Missouri mule and the letters, USO. A movie on wild life conservation was furnished by I. T. Bode. director of the Missouri Conservation Commission. Missouri songs were a special program feature Shown in the picture are: Seated, left to right: Mrs Ray Racicot, 610 N. 4th, Sandpoint, Ida., formerly of St. Louis, Mo., Robert V. Fahnestook, S 2/C 4440 Highland Ave., Kansas City, Mo., and Glen W. Ralls, S 2/C, 4107 East 14th, Kansas City, Mo Standing, left to right: Henry Stoenner, PhM 2/C Higginsville, Mo., Lowell R. Hubbard, S 2/C, 2712 Seneca, St. Joseph, Mo., Ralph H. Foster, S 2/C 1803 S. Osage, Sedalia, Mo., Ray Wrights President of Kiwanis Club, Sandpoint, Ida., James Z Perrin, 5730 Chamberlain Ave., St. Louis, Mo., and Alva Reeves, Past President of Kiwanis Club Sandpoint, Idaho.

Paper Weight

SALT LAKE CITY—A doctor called Mrs. John T. Wahlquist, who directs waste-paper salvage, to report he had accidentally tossed four radium needles, valued at $700, into a wastebasket.

Borrowing a radium locator from the University of Utah, the salvagers finally spotted the radium in a railroad box car. Got it back, too, after removing ten tons of paper.

Looking Backward

Forty Years Ago

SWEET SPRINGS, Mo. (Special)—Former United States Senator George G. Vest, whose life has been hanging in the balance for days past, died at his home on the cottage grounds at 5 o'clock this morning, the members of his family being at his bedside when the final summons came. A brief funeral service will be held at the cottage here at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, the Rev. C. H. Morton, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Sweet Springs, officiating. Burial will be in Bellefontaine cemetery in St. Louis. Mr. Vest was born in Frankfort, Ky., December 6, 1830. One of the most scholarly members of the senate he was a statesman of prominence. It was in 1867, after the close of the Civil war, that he began the practice of law in Sedalia.

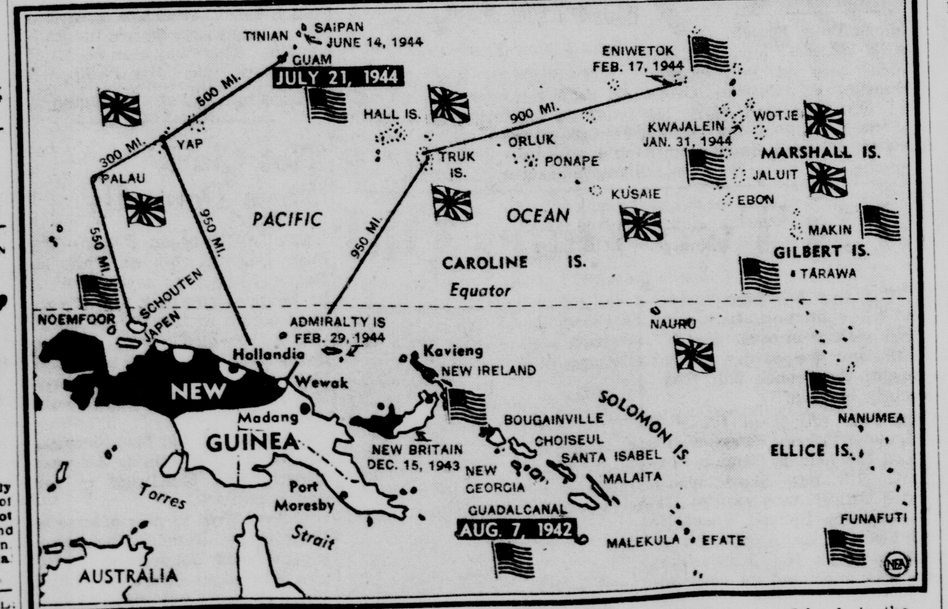
Thomas F. O'Bannon, son of T. H. O'Bannon, who resides two and one-half miles east of LaMonte, was among those who lost their lives near Eden, seven miles north of Pueblo, Colo., Sunday night, when a Denver and Rio Grande passenger train plunged into the river.

The board of education has decided to open the East Sedalia primary school on Fifth street, this fall. The school was closed last year and it is now deemed necessary to continue it.

Dr. H. A. Longan, son of John B. Longan, of this city, has been recommissioned police surgeon of Kansas City for a period of three years.

Two Years After Guadalcanal—Our First 'D-Day'





When the United States Marines hit the beaches of Guadalcanal, Tulagi and Gavutu Islands in the Solomons on Aug. 7, 1942, it marked America's first "D-Day," the first American invasion against aggressor nations The map shows how the Stars and Stripes, in the two years since Guadalcanal, have been planted on more and more Japanese possessions with increasing rapidity, culminating in the double blow at Guam and Tinian As the Guadalcanal campaign dragged out for six months, the jungles, swamps and mosquitoes of the Solomon Islands bred in the Marines and Army infantrymen a new concept of war and their progress on Saipan and on Guam testifies that they learned their lessons well. Inserted on the photo of Marines moving up on Guadalcanal is shoulder patch, first of its kind in the history of the Corps, worn by the famous First Marine Division to commemorate their proud record.

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Town Talk

TO BE Able
TO THINK And
ACT QUICKLY
IN AN Emergency
IS CERTAINLY
A TALENT
AND ONE That
IS APPRECIATED
MANY TIMES
JUST FOR Instance
LAST FRIDAY Night
DURING THE Storm
MUSICIANS
WERE PLAYING A
CONCERT
AT THE Sedalia
AIR FIELD
SUDDENLY THE Lights
WENT OUT
NOW WHEN Lights
GO OUT
AND ESPECIALLY When
THEY GO Out
AT AN Army Field
THERE IS Naturally
SOME TENSENESS
EVEN THOUGH
THE CAUSE May
BE GUESSED AT
THIS TENSENESS
WAS AT Its Height
THAT NIGHT
WHEN SUDDENLY
OUT OF The Darkness
CAME THE Strains
OF
"POP GOES
THE WEASEL
AND THE Fiddle"
PLAYED On The
VIOLIN
BY ABE ROSENTHAL
EVERYONE RELAXED
THEY GOT Their Bearings
THEY WERE Amused
AND SOLDIERS From
OTHER PARTS
OF THE Building
CAME IN To
LEARN JUST What
WAS GOING On
I THANK YOU

COMMUNITY NEWS from—

Hughesville

The Hughesville Woman's Extension club met at the school on Wednesday with Mrs. Will Fowler and Mrs. Marvin Houchen hostesses at a covered dish luncheon. The president, Mrs. Will Fowler opened the meeting and Mrs. E. VanNoy led the devotional. Community sing was led by Mrs. Dee Powell, and the accompanist was Miss Mildred Rages. Articles made from sacks are to be left at the Rages home for achievement day, it was decided: There will be no meeting of the club in September and the October meeting will have as hostess, Mrs. Homer Cunningham or Miss Katherine Fowler with Mrs. Charles Rages as assistant hostess. A book review will be given at the November meeting.

Guests present at this month's meeting were Miss Mildred Rages and Mrs. James Houchen. Miss Rages will be music supervisor in the high school at California, Missouri for the coming year.

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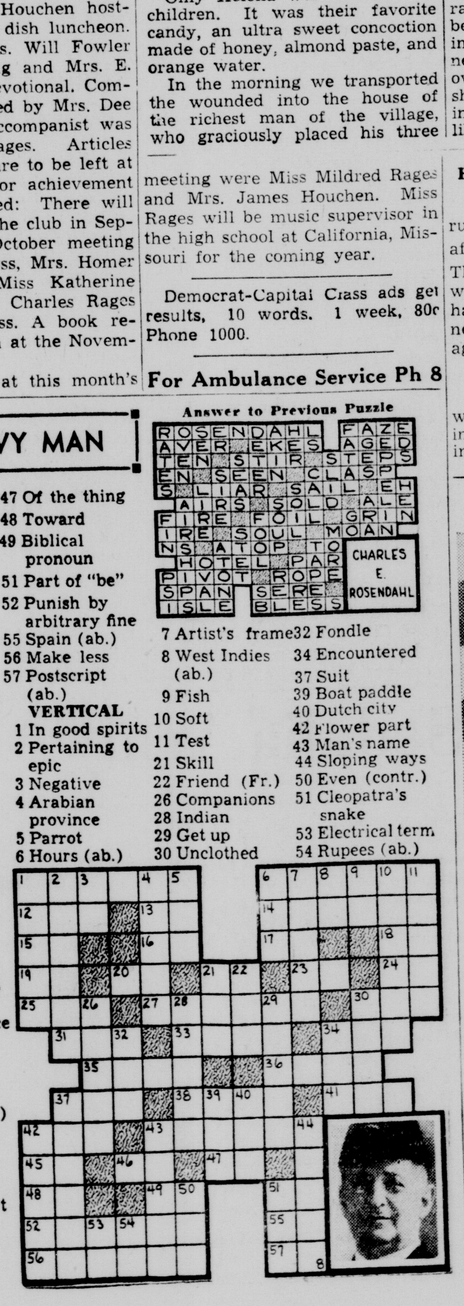
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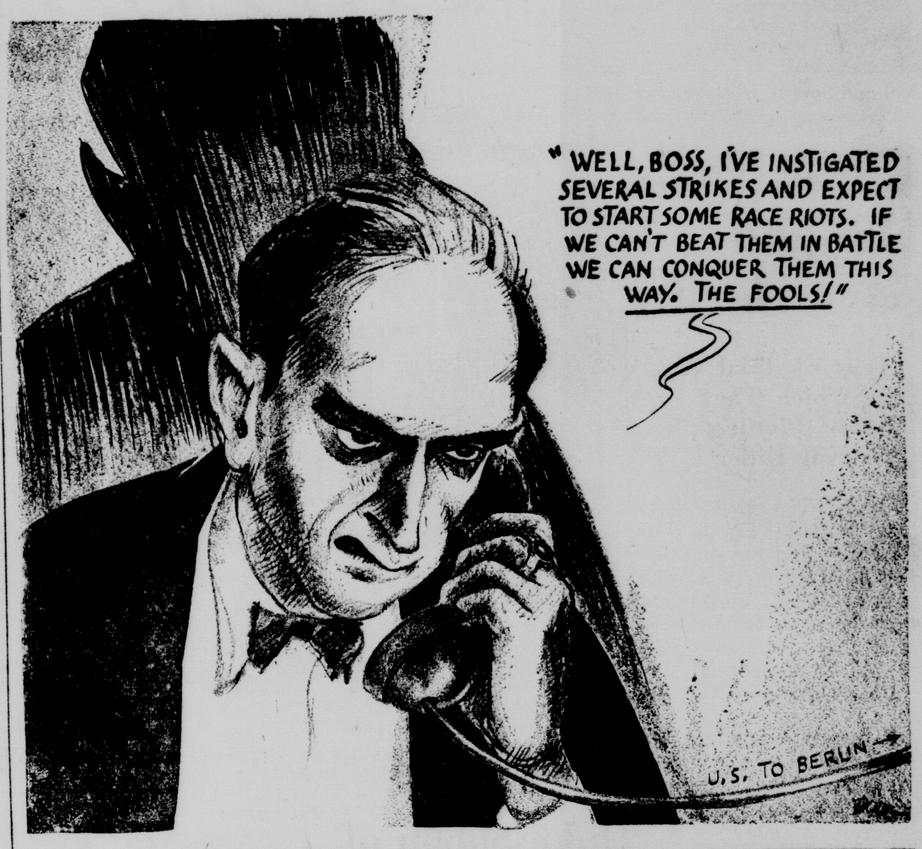
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Heil Hitler!



Salute to a Lady

By Victoria Wolf

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THE SCENE: A U. S. Army hospital in a little native village in the heart of Algeria about the time of the American landings in North Africa.

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MAIL DAY

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AFTER awhile, when the sky was clear again, the truth was found out. It was all due to a bivouac fire some nomads camping near the village grove had kindled, completely unaware of war, blackout, danger and death. Three of them paid with their lives; 15 others, mostly women and children, were wounded.

They were brought in whining and lamenting. The whole tribe seemed to follow after and it was just as hard a job to get rid of the relatives as it was to undress and wash the women who needed washing as much as their wounds needed disinfectant. We were busy all night long, what with dressing and bedding and soothing. The doses of bromide we gave were not strong enough to suppress the excitement of being under the same roof with men, foreign men, the most horrible crime Arab women could commit.

The Mufti of the village, who spoke French, served as interpreter, causing new bewilderment as he wandered from cot to cot, seeing the women in their American Army nightgowns, and incorrectly veiled.

"Inch Allah"—God wills it—I tried to console a blackeyed, frightened girl-woman who hid herself under the blanket all the time. She shook her head and cried. Not even the two Arab words we had learned, *malesh* and *bakshish* worked.

Only Helona worked with the children. It was their favorite candy, an ultra sweet concoction made of honey, almond paste, and orange water.

In the morning we transported the wounded into the house of the richest man of the village, who graciously placed his three rooms at their disposal.

The Mufti, who is the Justice of the Peace, gave the leader of this little tribe of Nomads such a lecture on modern warfare as will restrain his love for open fires for the duration.

During the next few days, we nurses had to attend a regular polyclinic in the village which finally brought us in direct contact with the Arabs and taught us as much of their customs as we taught them of our hygiene. That was plenty.

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THIS incident and all its consequences were soon drowned by a much bigger event: the arrival of a mail transport. I wonder whether people at home, wives, mothers, sisters, and sweethearts, know what any one of their letters, though they be written in fun or earnest, in haste or at leisure, mean to the men abroad. They not only read these letters time and time again, learn them by heart, show them to their friends, but they inhale the very words, smell the paper and ink, carefully study the writing.

Was it still daylight when she wrote, or evening, or night? Where did she sit, in the dinette or at the living room table? What did she wear? If they get a new snapshot, they not only look at it as one looks at a casual photo, they try to discover the exact date and hour it was taken.

A farmer's son from Iowa showed me his family. "Look, nurse, they are all wearing their Sunday shoes, so it was Sunday when this was taken. It must have been in October, late October, as there is still a smile of sunshine in the foreground. We rarely have sunshine in November in Iowa. And it was 2 o'clock in the afternoon, just after dinner. I can see it by the shadows. They are just that long and sharp at 2. And see that ease in Dad's face. He always looks like that after a good helping of leg of lamb. Not before! And look at Mom! How relaxed she is. She wouldn't look like that before feeding 10 mouths. Aren't they grand, my folks?"

Corporal Manning showed me a letter from his wife which had a picture enclosed with it. She is a very good-looking girl of obvious intelligence. "Imagine, nurse," the corporal gaped, "she has gone defensing! She says it is too dull to sit at home doing nothing and that interior decorating looks silly to her in wartime."

"She is great," I said. "Didn't I tell you that the war changes women?"

I couldn't help feeling proud of him, proud of her, though I know that it is rather immature to feel proud of something that others have accomplished.

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A PILOT who once had told me that he didn't feel as lonely here as he did in the big cities showed me a photo of his Aunt Katy, a large person of energy and self-sufficiency. "She is the greatest woman in the world, nurse. I was brought up in her house. My parents went down on the Lusitania. She is 75, but sometimes acts younger than I. She wanted to help with the war effort, but because of her age, people rejected her everywhere. Do you know what she answered, 'Age, age! I still have 25 years till a hundred.' And just to prove to them what she was capable of doing she opened a private USO center in her home. She, all by herself, entertains a hundred or more soldiers every weekend. She has a big house and garden and enough money to give them the best. When the war is over, nurse, you have to meet her in New York. You simply have to! You would miss something extraordinary if you didn't. Honestly, I mean it."

It's a pleasure to make your rounds in the wards on such a mail day. No one minds if the changing of dressings hurts, if cleaning with iodine burns. No one even feels it. Bodies become negligible objects indeed which, by chance, lie in the same bed with you. It is always and again the spirit that counts.

(To Be Continued)

Fire On Motor

The fire departments made a run about 5:45 o'clock Monday afternoon to the intersection of Third street and Ohio avenue where the motor of a Yellow Cab had become ignited in some manner. There was no serious damage.

About 11,000 front-line aircraft were used by the Allies in opening stages of the Normandy landings.

RAF Rocketeer



Man-sized is the name for rockets used by RAF Beaufighter planes in the Mediterranean theater. Two in photo above are displayed by leading aircraftsman R. E. Atkins.

War Dads To Meet Thursday Night

The regular meeting of Chapter No. 31, American War Dads, will be held at the Woodman-Maccabee hall, 400 block South Ohio avenue, Thursday night, at 8:00 o'clock.

All the members and especially all officers have been urged to attend. It has been pointed out that every father, stepfather, foster father, and father-lin-law of a man or woman in the armed forces is eligible to attend these meetings.

On Thursday night a special war movie picture will be shown, and refreshments will be served.

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Hero's Daughter Wins Award



Jean Hubbard, 16, of Annapolis, Md., daughter of Comdr. H. E. Hubbard, who went down with the destroyer USS Meredith in 1942, is awarded a Washington College scholarship by William E. McKenney, president of War Orphans Scholarships, Inc. The presentation was made at a convention of the American Contract Bridge League in New York. McKenney is author of the NEA's bridge column.

Son Of Lt. Gen. McNair Dies

Col. Douglas McNair In Guam With U. S. Forces

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8—(AP)—The death in Guam of Col. Douglas McNair, 37, only son of the late Lt .Gen. Lesley J. McNair was announced Monday by the War Department.

The circumstances of his death were not reported in the news message which the war department received from his commander, Maj. Gen. A. D. Bruce, commander of a division now in action on Guam.

General McNair, the colonel's father, former commander of the army ground forces, was given an important but undisclosed overseas assignment early in July, and was killed by the prematurely-released bomb of an American plane while he was observing a front line action near St. Lo in Normandy on July 25.

The younger McNair, like his father a field artilleryman, served with General Bruce when the latter commanded the tank destroyer center at Camp Hood, Texas.

Young McNair was an instructor in tactics at the school. He went with Bruce when the latter was assigned to command the 77th division.

The war department said it had asked for details of Col. McNair's death, and would announce them as soon as they were received.

Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Freda McNair, and their infant daughter, Bonny Clare, of Santa Barbara, Calif., and his mother, who lives in Washington, D. C.

Yanks Greeted at Rennes



French civilians of Rennes give the onrushing Americans a great ovation as the armored columns stream into the city. (Signal Corps Radiotelephoto to NEA)

Fred Gurley To Rail Presidency

An enlightening feature article of interest to Sedalians, describing the life and business progress of the Santa Fe's new president, Fred G. Gurley, who was born in Sedalia, appeared Sunday in The Kansas City Star. It was penned by E. B. Garnett, the Star's Sunday editor.

Mr. Gurley, 55 years old, upon assuming the presidency last week of the Sante Fe, now directs the affairs of some 60,000 employes and 46,000 stockholders in the 1½ billion dollar railroad corporation. He receives a salary of more than $50,000 a year.

His parents, while not wealthy, lived comfortably in an ample house they owned here, feature writer Garnett relates. His father came from Potsdam, N. Y., to Missouri as a traveling salesman for a St. Louis chinaware firm of which he was part owner.

A year or so after Fred Gurley's birth, February 20, 1889, the family moved to Pleasant Hill. The boy, who was to become a railroad president, went to elementary school in Kansas City and attended high school in Warrensburg.

His father died in the early 90's of injuries suffered in a railroad accident, and the widowed mother and Fred followed Hayes Nelson Gurley, an older brother, to various points in the midwest and west where he had jobs as a telegrapher and later train dispatcher. Admiration for his brother, 15 years his senior, was a strong force in guiding Fred Gurley's choice of occupations and he experienced a rapid climb to become a foremost railroad executive.

Hairdressers' Organization

Mrs. Ethel Sherrod of Kansas City, the state president of the National Hairdressers, was at the Bothwell hotel July 27, in a meeting of the local hairdressers, at which time a unit of the national organization was formed.

The following officers were elected: Mrs. Dorothy Kindred, president; Mrs. Margaret Beucke, vice-president; Alta Billingsley, secretary; Mrs. Mabel Church, treasurer; with three trustees, Mrs. Virginia Rose Moore, chairman, Mrs. Florence Thomas and Miss Lucille Hiltenberg.

Appointive offices will be announced later.

Mrs. Kindred was appointed a delegate from the unit by Mrs. Sherrod to the style and trade show which will be held in Chicago this month.

Mrs. Moore, who is a state vice-president of the organization, is by virtue of her office, state membership chairman for this district and has also been appointed by Mrs. Sherrod a delegate-at-large to the convention in Chicago.

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Infant Son Is Named Garnett Wayne Blaylock

The name of Garnett Wayne Blaylock has been given to the infant son born July 24 to Mr and Mrs. Clyde Blaylock at the Hanford hospital, Hanford, Wash. Mr. and Mrs. Blaylock have been residents of Sedalia until the past three years when they left Sedalia for Mr. Blaylock to enter defense work. For the past year they have been in Hanford. They have two other children, both girls. The baby weighed seven pounds and eleven and one-half ounces.

Hotel Executives Here

H. W. McCall, president and managing director of the Sweet Hotels, Inc., H. H. Lantz, assistant general manager, and S. E. Ryder, Jr., auditor, arrived in Sedalia Monday for a routine business visit at Hotel Bothwell.

Two From Naval Air Station Killed

NORMAN, Okla., Aug. 8—(AP)—Navy officials announced Monday that 1st Lt. Joseph M. Shields, 23, marine flight instructor, and James R. Whitaker, 25, both of the naval air station here, were killed in the crash of their plane at the Johnson, Kas., municipal airport while en route from Colorado.

LOOFBOURROW
EXPERT TRUSS FITTING
OSTEOPATH

CORRECTION

The name of the BILLY'S BEAUTY SHOP Mrs. Alta Billingsley, prop., was omitted by error from the cooperative beauty shop advertisement containing the names of the local shops and members of the National Hairdressers and Cosmotology Association which appeared in the Sunday Democrat-Capital. The Billy's Beauty Shop is also a member of this Association


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COMMUNITY NEWS from—

Smithton

Mrs. R. R. Lujin

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wagenknecht and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wagenknecht entertained a number of young people in honor of Pvt. Clifford Wagenknecht recently. A swimming party and weiner roast were enjoyed.

George Lindeman of Kansas City was a recent guest in the home of C. R. Ellison and Charles Robb, also of Kansas City, was a guest in the home later.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Merk had as recent dinner guests, Miss Marjorie Stuart and Mrs. Walter Williams and daughter, Clara, in honor of Pfc Cloyd Merk who was home on leave from Las Vegas Nevada.

Relatives here have received word from Alice M. Jackson Frownfelter stating she has been promoted to the rank of sergeant. Sgt. Frownfelter is stationed at El Centro, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hill and Mr. and Mrs. George Knox of Clifton City were Sunday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Demand and daughter, Marian. Miss Demand accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Knox home for a short visit.

Miss Wilma Wagenknecht and brother, James Robert, are spending this week with relatives in Kansas City.

Pvt. L. D. Hoehns, who left for army duty recently, has been stationed at Fort Riley, Kas.

Pvt. R. L. Young, Jr., of Fort Leonard Wood, was home on a furlough last week which he spent with his wife and other relatives.

Pvt. Ralph Porter Wood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wood of Beaman, formerly of Smithton, arrived for a ten-day furlough with his parents and friends.

Miss Mary D. Monsees, who is taking nurses training at Research hospital, Kansas City, spent the week end with her parents and sister.

Misses Marian and Betty Jane Monsees spent last week with relatives in Kansas City.

Guests in the F. A. Bremer home over the week end were: Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Kahrs and Gene Bremer of Kansas City, Mrs. Hal Bremer and roommate, Miss Billy Starke of Warrensburg.

Mrs. Gertrude Wagner has returned from Columbia where she attended the Missouri university the past several months.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Reynolds and daughters of Kansas City were week end guests of her parents, Supt. and Mrs. B. B. Ihrig.

Bobby Jackson and Lilburn Lujin went to St. Louis Sunday morning where they witnessed a double-header ball game that afternoon.

H. H. Eddy returned Sunday from Lincoln, Nebr., where he was called by the critical illness and death of his mother.

Mrs. Blanche Melendy of Chesaning, Mich., and her daughter, Miss Doris Melendy of Flint, Mich., arrived for a visit with their son and brother, Delbert Melendy and Mrs. Melendy. Miss Melendy returned to her place of business while Mrs. Melendy remained for a longer visit.

A/C Chas. Juries, Jr., of the U. S. N. Air Corps who was stationed at Chadron, Nebr., and Miss Melrose Juries of St. Louis are spending this week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Juries. A/C Juries will go to Iowa City for advanced preflight training following his furlough.

Sgt. William Jackson, who has been stationed at Camp Adair, Ore., for some time has been transferred to Fort Leonard Wood. Mrs. Jackson and small son, who have been in Albany, Ore., near her husband, arrived and will be at the home of Sgt. Jackson's parents, for the present.

Seaman Vaughn White of Olathe, Kas., and Mrs. White and daughter of Kansas City came down Sunday evening. Seaman White visited relatives at Green Ridge and Mrs. White and daughter visited relatives in Smithton.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Neumeyer and son of Kansas City arrived Monday for a week's visit with relatives here and at Lincoln. Mr. Neumeyer is on a vacation.

Misses Nancy Kay Monsees, Darlene Oehrke, Bonnie Sharper, Gary Griffin and Gene Hotsenpiller attended the 4-H club camp at Montserrat.

'Bonds For Babies' Campaign Group

The permanent committee of the Pettis County War Bond and Stamp committee met in the Chamber of Commerce offices on Thursday to discuss the "Bonds for Babies" campaign which is being sponsored by Women's groups all over the United States.

With every purchase of a bond of any denomination whatsoever for any child, from infancy to 10 years old, the name of the child will be recorded on a special report blank and sent into national bond headquarters with the child's name.

"The bond department then issues a special certificate, suitable for framing for the nursery, indicating that this child's name and the donor has been inscribed on the roll of honor in the United States Treasury department where the bond will grow with the baby.

Any person may buy any size bond for any baby. When these mature the baby will have a nice nest egg for his health, happiness or education. Each certificate has a border of the Walt Disney characters from "Snow White" arranged by the artist himself, his contribution to the "Bonds for Babies" campaign throughout the nation.

"A committee composed of the following persons, all army wives, has been put in charge of the sales of these bonds: Mrs. Charles Stewart, Mrs. Peter English, Mrs. Lyle Sullivan, Mrs. Joe Long, Mrs. "Bob" Seelan and Mrs. Burney Morris.

Bond Forfeited

Charles E. Lane, 517 North Prospect avenue, arrested on a charge of being intoxicated, failed to appear in police court Monday morning and his cash bond of $10 was ordered forfeited by Magistrate C. W. Bente.

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They'll Be Back, Fritz!



Photo above, received from a neutral source, was taken in Caen, France, when Germans still held the city. It shows a German soldier in a bomb-wrecked street looking up at British planes streaking homeward after bombing the place. What appears to be the head of one of his comrades behind him, is merely window display dummy, blown into the street.

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★ Major Thompson and 1st Lt. Waino Hakkinen, co-pilot of Gardner, Mass. The map on the *Blue Streak*'s nose marks 42 different targets bombed.
★ S/Sgt. Henry Magaram, armorer-gunner of New York City. All technical gunners get extra training in addition to regulation gunnery courses.
★ Navigator of the *Blue Streak* crew is 1st Lt. Thomas McGrain, of Detroit, Mich., shown here "shooting the sun" on a trans-Atlantic flight.
★ 1st Lt. Jose Felix, bombardier, of New Bedford, Mass. "It's a long training grind for any man who wants AAF wings," Lt. Felix says. "But brother, it's worth it!"

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They shot down 23 German and Italian fighters . . . dropped half-a-million pounds of bombs . . . won the Distinguished Unit Badge and countless individual decorations for gallantry in action.

Yet in all her battles in enemy skies, not a man in any of her crews was ever wounded!

Ask her pilot, Maj. Ralph P. Thompson, of Columbus, O., how she managed to roll up such a record, and he'll tell you:

"Because there were no 'individual stars' on her crew. We flew her and fought her as a *team* . . . gunners, navigator, bombardier, and pilot, all working *together* to win.

"And that's the thing any young fellow—who wants to win his wings in the AAF—should keep uppermost in his mind . . .

"You're on a *team* in the AAF . . . from your first day of training until you get up there in action. And it's a team that's never been stopped . . . that never will be stopped . . . the 'greatest team in the world'!"

Today, the AAF is writing history.

Liberators and Fortresses are blacking out the skies over Germany. Japan is already beginning to feel the awful power of the Superfortress. Swarms of heavy bombers, medium bombers, light bombers and fighters are spearheading the attack on every front.

Today—more than ever before—*there's a place for you on this great AAF team.*

If you are 17 . . . if you want action, adventure . . . the finest, most thorough training any flying man ever had . . . an opportunity to make a career in aviation after the war . . .

Then go to your nearest AAF Examining Board and see if you can qualify for the Air Corps Enlisted Reserve . . . with an opportunity to win your wings as gunner, navigator, bombardier or pilot in the AAF . . . the "greatest team in the world!"

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FLY AND FIGHT WITH THE AAF ARMY AIR FORCES GREATEST TEAM IN THE WORLD

Sedalia Army Air Field Is Two Years Old

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Master Sergeant Robert K. Paul. These two men were followed the next day by the rest of the original cadre of eleven men, who had been transferred to the SAAF from Camp Williams, Wisc. They formed a base squadron soon after their arrival, and ten days later in September, 1942, a wing and a group moved in and took over the barracks.

Pioneering Was Not Easy

As described by one of the early arrivals at that time, "We are pioneers," to which might be added, they had a pioneering job to be done. The buildings had not been completed, the runways, among the largest in the country, were only partly completed. For a time the men were fed at the Girl Scout camp in Montserrat park, until the mess halls could be completed on the field.

Men on the field were given a thrill, especially those who had gone through the early stages of work at the base, to see the first Troop Carrier plane with Colonels Walker, Chappel and Sailor, and some enlisted men, land on the runways on Wednesday, September 2, 1942.

The first month after activation, there were no electric lights, drinking water was sent in by tank trucks, and later the water at the field, after chemical treatment, was made safe for drinking purposes. To add to this was adverse weather conditions. It rained every day for twenty-seven days, starting with the day the enlisted men arrived. Boots were on the first issue, and everyone prayed for freezing weather so the mud would freeze and trucks could get through with coal.

Like Another Place

Today, one can hardly believe those adverse conditions. The main streets are of macadem, the roads behind the barracks are of white gravel, the former mud yards around the barracks are now covered with blue grass, there are flower beds, hedge fences, sidewalks, and all modern conveniences.

Men who went through the early stages of training at the base participated in the D-day invasion of France, others in the invasions of Sicily, Italy, in the South Pacific. Many of these men have been honored and of these many who left the SAAF as second lieutenants, have returned captains, majors, and some of higher ranks. The story, more important, that it's mere physical growth is that of the men who were trained at the SAAF and the great part they have played in every theatre of this great global war, and who have contributed so much to victories the Allies are now enjoying. These same Troop Carrier men have also saved countless lives by having evacuated over a quarter of a million sick and wounded soldiers by air since the beginning of the war.

The Troop Carrier Command has afforded a means of supply and contact with civilization for isolated armies fighting in far off corners of the world.

Interest in the activities and growth of the Sedalia Army Air Field by the civilian population in this area has been shown by their attendance at the various "open houses" held. With the announcement of these "open houses" thousands of residents from over Central Missouri attend, and leave with complimentary comments on what improvements have come about in these past two years.

American Legion Elects Officers

The American Legion Post No. 16 held its meeting last night at the Armory and the following officers were elected: Post commander, Walter Pinkepank; first vice-commander, James Franks; second vice-commander, Frank Piper; chaplain, Rev. R. E. Hurd; historian, Elmer Winfrey; sergeant-at-arms, E. E. Hammond; and trustee, Walter Knehans.

Delegates to the state convention to be held in Jefferson City September 3 and 4 were also elected. Those elected were: Roy Wills, Walter Pinkepank, Linden L. Jones, S. J. Timborious, Frank Piper, Elmer Winfrey, Ernest Hellar, Otis Howe and James Franks.

Forfeited Traffic Bonds

Charles Hayes, 1500 East Fourteenth street and Albert Keller, of 325 East Harvey, both charged with not having their 1944-45 city automobile licenses, forfeited their three dollar cash bonds in police court this morning.

Babe Named Linda Ann

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Callis, of Hughesville, born Thursday, August 3, has been given the name of Linda Ann.

Men, Women! Old at 40,50,60! Want Pep?

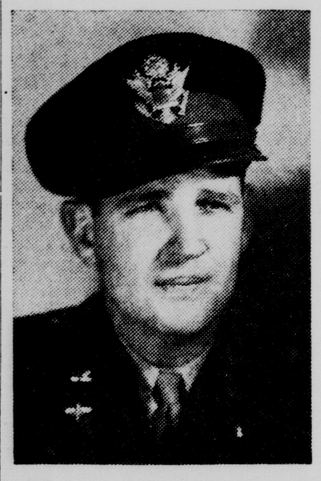
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Do you blame exhausted, worn-out feeling on age? Thousands *amazed* at what a little pepping up with Ostrex has done. Contains tonic many need at 40, 50, 60, for body old solely because low in iron; also prophylactic doses vitamin B1, calcium. 35c introductory size now *only* 29c. Try Ostrex Tonic Tablets for new pep, younger feeling, this very day.

For sale at all drug stores everywhere—in Sedalia, at Crown's Cut Rate and Star Drug.

Early Arrivals





Top: The first two enlisted men to arrive at the Sedalia Army Air Field and who are still among the base personnel are Master Sergeant Robert K. Paul, of Minneapolis, lives at 1010 West Seventh street, Sedalia (left), and Staff Sergeant Libero F. Gallo, who came here from Camp Williams, Wisc., is a native of Brooklyn. He lives at the base.

Bottom: Captain Lovette L. Hill, who arrived in Sedalia five days after Colonel Robt. L. Wheat, then base commander, the only original staff officer still at the SAAF. Captain Hill is now Base Special Service Officer. He comes from Overton, Tex., and is residing in Warrensburg.

Blooms Were As Scheduled

The two potted cereus plants at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Capen, 203 East Sixth street, opened Monday night, one with four and the other with five blooms, each with the cradle and the star that typify the formation of this lily-like flower.

One plant is about ten years old and the other was grown from a leaf of the original one, both nurtured by Mr .and Mrs. Capen through long winter months so that they might have their annual one-night blossoming.

Numerous friends and many passersby were attracted to the lawn to look at the flowers which were illuminated by a spotlight.

Many persons also watched the blooming of the fourteen blossoms of a cereus plant at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Highleyman, 600 West Fourth street, Monday night.

Births - - -

Son, born to Ensign and Mrs. John M. Edwards, 120 East Broadway, 4:50 o'clock Monday morning at Bothwell hospital. The baby weighed eight pounds and eleven ounces.

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brown, 509 West Second street, at 8:30 o'clock Monday evening at Bothwell hopital. It weighed seven pounds, fourteen and three-fourths ounces.

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Olen Monsees, Smithton, at the Bothwell hospital Monday evening at 5 o'clock.

Son, born to Staff Sergeant and Mrs. Joseph M. Roth, 410 South Grand avenue at 11:25 o'clock on Monday morning at Bothwell hospital.

Additional Society

Miss Rosalee Gardner of 1918 South Stewart avenue celebrated her birthday Saturday by entertaining about fifty couples at an Old Fashion Square Dance at the Knights of Columbus hall.

Refreshments of doughnuts, cookies and ice tea were served to the guests at midnight.

Assisting in the entertaining were: Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Gardner, Mrs. Roy Taylor, Mrs. Joe Scott and Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Marshall.

Reconquest of Island Of Guam is Near

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since mid-April, 1942, before the fall of Corregidor.

The Japanese belatedly acknowledged a two-day raid by an American carrier task force upon the Bonin and Kazan islands, 1,000 miles north of Guam and only about 600 miles from Tokyo, but said 41 U. S. planes were shot down and an American cruiser damaged.

Adm. Chester W. Nimitz previously announced that 11 Japanese vessels were sunk and 30 other surface craft damaged, and 13 enemy planes were destroyed, for the loss of 16 American planes, last Thursday and Friday.

Car on Fire

The fire companies were called at one o'clock this morning to Engineer avenue and Eighteenth street where a Chevrolet car of Joe Glascock had caught fire. Fire destroyed cushions and interior of the automobile. The loss was estimated at $75.

Marriage License Issued

Marcellus A. Schieffer, Milwaukee, Wis., and Margaret Dixie Williams, Granite City, Ill.

Duke Shoop of Kansas City Escapes Death

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the Kansas and western Missouri members of a certain armored unit somewhere about. . . .

French Give Warning

At a village some Frenchmen ran out, warning the force that the Germans were just ahead. The little detachment decided this was merely another rumor and that they would continue to rely on the broadcast announcement.

In the vicinity of a hamlet, the commanding general officer sighted two Nazi soldiers lurking behind a hedge. He stopped the car, jumped out and covered the Germans with his pistol. They emerged with their hands above their heads. . . .

The prisoners obviously were decoys sent out to induce the convoy to halt. There was considerable debate on whether to take the prisoners along or send them to the rear. In the midst of the discussion the group suddenly was assailed by rifle fire from the front and both flanks.

They plunged headlong into a gulley at the right side of the road. The skipper, bravely exposing himself, emptied his pistol and a carbine and ordered the others to start crawling back along the ditch on their stomachs and hands and knees. . . .

Crawled Back

The group continued to crawl backward over its own dead and wounded. As usual in the hedgerow country, the gulley was broken every hundred yards or so by culverts on the level road. Each time the men had to leave their cover, spring several feet into the open across the obstacle and dive again into the ditch on the other side.

Many of the men were killed in this manner. The Germans also shot up the party's vehicles, exploding the gasoline tanks and setting the cars afire with incendiary bullets. The attack began at 2:30 in the afternoon. Two and three-quarters hours later the party had crept a mile and a half along the ditches, leaving its vehicles far behind.

The Germans followed along the other side of the hedge, intensifying their fire and searching the gulleys with mortar fire. The greatly outnumbered survivors gave themselves up for lost.

Help Arrived

Then help arrived in the shape of five light tanks and a company of infantry. The veteran doughboy unit instantly attacked the Germans with terrific artillery and mortar and rifle fire.

Under this cover the remaining Seabees and correspondents crawled faster than ever and finally surmounted the crest of a hill which sheltered them from the enemy. They were loaded on trucks and borne to the rear, but many of the original party were dead or missing.

Shoop, who had wrenched his arm in a fall into the ditch, found a place on the front of a returning tank and rode to safety with the hot radiator as his seat and spent the night in a haystack.

"In ten minutes more," he said, "we should have been wiped out. It's strange how your thoughts dart about when you believe you are about to die. I remembered incidents of my childhood, then of my job in Washington. I thought of the miracles of modern science and how I might get off with a bullet in my leg or arm. I also thought about how silly it was to trouble about keeping my helmet on. It was a great hindrance in crawling and I knew it would not stop a bullet."

Modern Smoke Signals

GALLUP, N. M. — The Navajos, hearing of the new "electric smoke signals," are flocking to the Daily Independent to see for themselves the newly installed Associated Press teletypes.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. James Witte and son, Jack Gabriel, and Mrs. Robert Long, all of Kansas City, spent Saturday night here en route to Rocheport, Mo., to attend the funeral of Mrs. Cora Settle, aunt of Mrs. Witte and Mrs. Long, who died Friday morning.

Mrs. William Zahringer and baby daughter, Carolyn, 311 East Eleventh street, have returned from a week's visit in Kansas City with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phillips and other relatives.

Jimmy and Hugh Worley, sons of J. H. Worley, manager of Hotel Bothwell, and Mrs. Worley, spent the week end in Chanute, Kas., with C. O. Sherman, a guest at the hotel.

Miss Mary Frances McGaw has returned to Kansas City following a weekend visit here with her father, John S. McGaw of 417 West Fourth street and other relatives.

Mrs. Josephine Balsamo of St. Louis is here for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Lena Candioto of 409 West Fourth street and her niece, Mrs. Rose Avansino, of 311 West Fourth.

Misses Rosalie and Lulamae Craigg of 326 North Quincy avenue, returned Friday from a week's vacation spent with Misses Lee and Margie Simmons of Chicago, Ill. They visited many places of interest and were guests at radio stations WLS and WJJD.

Misses Anne and Carolyn Buzard, daughters of Judge and Mrs. Paul A. Buzard of Kansas City, are guests of their aunts, Misses Pearl and Lillian Tongate, 1100 West Fourth street.

Major and Mrs. Charles Jenkins were here over the weekend visiting Major Jenkin's mother, Mrs. C. A. Jenkins, of the Dean apartments. They have returned to Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas.

Mrs. Walter Bopp, 1109 West Main street and Mrs. Herbert Woolery, Spring Fork, will leave Thursday for Mishawaka, Ind., where they will visit their sister, who was Leoba Schneider now Sister Martina in a convent there.

Mrs. J. L. Rosenthal and daughter, Rita Sue, 1101 West Broadway, who have been spending the past week with Mrs. Rosenthal's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Small and other relatives, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Overmier and children, Lloyd and Joan, of Parsons, Kas., are spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Overmier, 1107 East Fourth street, and her mother, Mrs. Anna Scott, 603 East Thirteenth street.

Miss Dorothy Perriguey, 2007 West Broadway, has returned from Springfield, Mo., where she has been spending the past two weeks.

Milford Griggs, SF 1/c, is home on a thirty day leave from the South Pacific and is spending it with his mother, Mrs. C. H. Griggs, 1415 East Fifth street. He enlisted in the navy in February, 1942.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Nichols, of Kansas City, Mo., are on a thirty day vacation and are visiting friends in Sedalia. They will go to the Lake of the Ozarks where the most of their vacation will be spent.

Edgar J. Urton, seaman 2/c, returned Monday night for Camp Wallace, Texas, after a nine-day leave spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Urton. Mr. and Mrs. Urton have another son, Edsol Urton, gunners mate 2/c U. S. Navy, who called them Monday from New York to tell them that he had just arrived in the United States from Naples, Italy.

Pete Switzer, seaman 2/c, has just returned to Camp Wallace, Tex., after a nine day leave spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Switzer, 1610 South Osage avenue.

Robert Salmon, seaman 2/c, son of R. S. Salmon, 1405 South Osage avenue, has returned to Camp Wallace, Texas., after a nine-day leave.

Karl Berry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Berry, 1401 South Carr, who is in the navy and has been visiting his parents since Wednesday, left for his station, in Corpus Christi, Texas Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Walker, of the Dean apartments, have as their guests, Mrs. Walker's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Stephenson, and her mother, Mrs. S. W. Davis, all of Detroit, Mich. They will be here two weeks.

Miss Betty Bob Scotten, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Scotten, 712 South Ohio, has as her guest, Mrs. Harold Cole, of Clinton. Mrs. Cole arrived Monday evening and will be here until Thursday.

Will Calvin, Fulton, Mo., is here for a visit with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. James Calvin, 819 East Fifteenth street.

Knights of Columbus Have Picnic Sunday

The Knights of Columbus, Sedalia Council 831, held a picnic Sunday evening at Liberty Park to which they invited their families and members of the Daughters of Isabella.

Between seventy-five and one-hundred attended the affair and at 6 o'clock that evening a basket dinner was served.

Games and conversation were enjoyed during the evening.

Special guests were Rev. A. J. Brunswick, Rev. L. Growney and Rev. W. P. Stack.

Obituaries

M. H. DeJarnette

Marcelluis Henry DeJarnette, aged 82, a former resident of LaMonte and Green Ridge, died at 10:45 o'clock Monday night at the home of his son, Marion DeJarnette, in Lincoln, Neb.

He leaves four children: Mrs. Mary Johnson, St. Louis; Mrs. Ethel Ray, Colorado; Mrs. Inez Bishop, Spokane, Wash., and Mrs. Jeff Drake, who resided west of Sedalia. Deceased's wife, who was the former Miss Katie Scotten, preceded him in death.

The body will be brought to LaMonte and taken to the Parker home.

Miss Louise Catherine Hahn

Miss Louise Catherine Hahn, former Sedalian, daughter of the late Philip and Marie Hahn died at her home in Venice, Calif., June 26, Sedalian friends have learned.

The Hahn family home, where Miss Louise Catherine was reared, was on the northwest corner of Seventh street and Moniteau avenue. After the death of Mrs. Hahn, Miss Hahn and her father moved to Venice, Calif.

Surviving are a sister, Mrs. Anna Hahn Waller, at Atwood, Colo., a nephew, and two nieces, Mrs. Marie Weller Taylor and Mrs. Esther Logan Henderson.

Mrs. Harry Winzenreid Service

Funeral services for Mrs. Grace Carpenter Winzenried, wife of Harry Winzenried, who died at her home in Windsor on August 3, were held Sunday afternoon at the Huston-Turner funeral home at 2:30 o'clock with Rev. Goode officiating.

Mrs. Ellis Huston sang: "In the Shadow of His Wings."

Pallbearers were Will Valentine, John Harris, Virgil Barker, Hughey Johnson, Ernest Davis and William Nine.

Burial was in Laurel Oak cemetery.

Mrs. Winzenried was born in Windsor on January 14, 1884 the daughter of Newton and Frances Means Carpenter, and had spent her entire life in Windsor. She united with the Methodist church at an early age and spent much of her time in church activities, serving many years as president of the Missionary society.

Surviving besides her husband are two sons, Frederick, in the army, stationed at Camp Fannin, Texas and Frank, with the air corps in India; two grandchildren, Doyle and Carol Ann and three sisters, Mrs. Hugh Smith of Madison, Wis., and Misses Mabel and Emma Carpenter and two brothers, Robert and Frank Carpenter of Windsor.

Mrs. Lea Blakemore Dodge

Mrs. Lea Blakemore Dodge died in St. Louis Sunday.

Surviving are the following children, Mrs. Margaret E. D. Jacques, James B. Dodge and Mrs. Katharine D. Webster.

The body is at the Alexander Chapel, 6175 Delmar boulevard, St. Louis, where funeral services will be held. Complete arrangements were not known here.

Mrs. Franks is Again Head of Auxiliary

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introduced Miss Winifred Griswald, Girl's State representative, who told many interesting facts about Girl's State. She also presented the Girl's State song which was composed by one of the girls.

The auditing committee for the treasurer was appointed. Mrs. J. H. Brooks is retiring treasurer.

A pin, for the year she has served as president, was presented to Mrs. Franks by the vice-president, Mrs. Timorious. It was announced that there would be no meeting of the post here until September 18 because of the convention to be held in Jefferson City.

Hostesses in charge of the meeting were: Mrs. F. A. Boysen, Mrs. Alice White, Mrs. Elmer Winfrey, Mrs. W. L. Monegan, Mrs. W. F. Hamilton, Mrs. L. V. Morris. Fifty members were present at the meeting Monday night.

Pvt. C. L. Shemel Is Wounded

Pvt. Charles L. Shemel has been seriously wounded in action in France according to a message received by his wife, the former Miss Nan Elaine Wilkerson, who is residing with her sister, Mrs. L. C. Kennon, 1455 South Sneed avenue.

Pvt. Shemel was in the invasion of France on June 6 and was in the battle of Cherbourg. He was wounded on July 17 and was taken to England where he is a patient in a hospital. Mrs. Shemel received two letters from him written from the hospital in England before she received the message from the war department and she has had three letters from him since that time.

"I cannot give praise enough to the American Red Cross Blood banks," Pvt. Shemel wrote his wife. "After I was wounded I was on the field quite a little while before anyone came to me and in that time I lost lots of blood. They gave me blood plasma which saved my life and it was good to know that that blood had come from the folks back in the states." He wrote his wife, also, that he did not believe that he would be permanently disfigured or handicapped.

Pvt. Shemel has been overseas since November 1, 1943 and in April he was in the troops to which Churchill and Eisenhower talked and was so close to them that he could have touched them.

Reduction In Electric Rates Here

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and William Hatfield, for, according to the resolution, conduct unbecoming an officer, while on duty. The resolution relative to George was passed unanimously, but that concerning Hatfield by a five to three vote, John Taylor, Herbert Seifert and Leo Eickhoff voting against it. Seifert had suggested a suspension of thirty days, stating Hatfield had been sent with George on the call concerned, and had simply upheld the action of the officer in charge.

A delegation of Negro men and women attended the council meeting, interested in action to be taken on the police officers. Rev. M. H. Vanhoose took the floor at one time to state his delegation had not sanctioned any recommendation to suspend Hatfield, instead of releasing him entirely. It was charged by the Negroes that the police officers had insulted several Negro citizens recently, while in the act of arresting a man near Main street and Ohio avenue.

Report By Aldermen

A. L. Pringle reported that 152 stray dogs had been executed during the month of July.

T. H. Yount reported on the progress being made towards erection of a hangar at the Municipal Air Field, and of the crops, money for part of which is turned over to the city.

Frank Royce reported the East Sedalia fire department needs a new crank shaft on its truck, which will cost about $90.

Leo Eickhoff reported on some needed repairs at the old post-office building, on which estimates are being made for the work.

Richard Keenan stated he is still waiting to be given authority to buy the only suitable site for a city dump that he could find.

The fire committee was authorized to ask for bids from local merchants for five coats and seven pairs of pants needed for city firemen. This motion was made by Leo Eickhoff after a notice had been read from the fire chief asking for the clothing for his men, and giving the cost of same.

An application from residents of Fourth street and Babcock avenue neighborhood, for a street light, was referred to the street and alley committee.

Approval was given to have the Taylor-Wagner Auditing Company audit the books of the city clerk immediately prior to the time Mr. Thomas leaves and before his successor takes office.

Eight Nazis Are Hanged, Says Berlin

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the summer of 1943.

Told of Alternate Plan

His answers also told of an alternate plan. Three veteran soldiers from the front were to be sent to demonstrate new field equipment for Hitler. Explosives hidden in the baggage of one of the soldiers were to be timed to kill everyone in the group.

Stieff's answers implicated his immediate senior, former Artillery General Wagner (reported by Berlin to have committed suicide after the plot's failure). When Stieff termed Wagner an "old comrade," the president snapped that it would be better to call him an "old criminal."

Witzleben frankly admitted in court he had been "involved in this matter."

He admitted visiting former Col. Gen. Ludwig Beck, another reported suicide, in February, 1943, at which they agreed that men heading the military strategy under Hitler were "no good" while "good ones" were eliminated.

Admits He Could Lead

The president asked who would have been more fitted to head the military.

Witzleben told of discussions last "October or November" at which a plan was hatched to seize Hitler and force their decisions on him, adding:

"I know nothing of politics in general and questions of internal politics. In the first place, of course, we wanted to seize the Fuehrer with the smallest possible entourage. We believed a living fuehrer would be more useful than a dead fuehrer."

He testified that the men to carry out this earlier plot were "still to be picked."

Mrs. Lois Meuschke Home From Hospital

Mrs. Lois Harris Meuschke, 400½ West Sixth street, has returned home from Mattoon, Ill., where she was visiting her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harris. Mrs. Meuschke has been away for the past several weeks and while there underwent an operation at Champaign, Ill. She has been recuperating at the home of her brother.

Fined for Disturbing Peace

Clarea Smith, Negro, 410 North Ohio avenue, charged with disturbing the peace at the Main Street Bar, was fined $25 in police court this morning by Magistrate C. W. Bente.

John W. Pummill, charged with being intoxicated, fighting and resisting an officer was fined $25 by Judge Bente in police court.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Late Market Report

Livestock, Grain, Produce, Securities

Grain News Bearish

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—(AP) — Short-covering threatened to recover some of the recent losses in grain futures today but the news continued bearish and selling pressure was too great for much headway.

All oats and rye futures dropped at times to new seasonal lows for the second consecutive day, rallying to around the previous close at times. Wheat showed more resistance most of the session.

At the close wheat was ¼ to ½ higher than yesterday's finish, September $1.54, oats were ⅜ lower to ¼ higher, September 68½-⅜, rye was ⅜ higher to ⅝ lower, September $1.03¼-⅜, and barley was unchanged to ½ off, September $1.10.

Junior Stocks Hold Play

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—(AP)—Junior stocks, mainly motors, again held the speculative play in today's market while many veteran leaders found difficulty in attracting buying attention.

Investment funds still inclined to conservatism as the smash at the Nazi led to further thoughts of a quick Allied victory which might be followed on the home front by considerable industrial reconversion confusion. At that, some bidding cropped up on the idea transition troubles possible had been discounted.

Transfers ran to around 1,100,000 shares.

Recording peaks for 1944 or longer were Hupp Motors, Martin-Parry and Aviation Corp. Ahead the great part of the session—some failed to maintain their advantage—were Packard, Graham-Paige, General Realty, N. Y. Central, Southern Railway, Bethlehem and Sears Roebuck. Occasional losers were U. S. Steel, Santa Fe, General Electric, General Motors, Westinghouse and Goordich.

Railway bonds improved.

St. Louis Livestock

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill., Aug. 8.—(AP)—(WFA)—Hogs, 10,500; market active; weights 160 lbs. up and sows steady; lighter weights steady to 50 cents higher; top and bulk good and choice 150-240 lbs. $14.70; heavier weights including sows $13.95; 120-140 lbs. $13.25-14.25; 100-120 lbs. $12.25-13.25; stags $13.50 down; clearance good.

Cattle, 6,000; calves, 2,500; around 50 loads steers offered including 15 loads Oklahoma and Kansas grassers; market opening moderately active and steady to strong on all classes; choice yearlings and medium weight steers $17.00; some held higher; good steers $15.50-16.00; common and medium $10.75-15.00; including several loads western grassers at $10.75-14.25; good and choice heifers and mixed yearlings $14.50-16.00; common and medium $9.00-14.00; good cows $12.00-13.00; common and medium $8.50-11.00; medium and good sausage bulls $9.00-11.00; meat bulls to $12.00; good and choice vealers $14.00; medium and good $11.50-12.75; few common and medium replacement steers fully steady at $8.00-10.00; nominal range slaughter steers $10.00-17.00; slaughter heifers $8.50-16.75; stocker and feeder steers $7.50-13.00.

Sheep, 5,500; receipts mostly trucked in spring lambs; and slaughter ewes; one load yearlings; spring lambs opened weak to 25 lower; ewes steady; bulk good and choice spring lambs to packers $13.75-14.00; two decks more closely sorted to other interests $14.25; buck lambs discounted $1.00; common throwouts largely $9.00; good shorn ewes $4.00-75.

Kansas City Live Stock

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 8.—(AP)—(WFA)—Hogs: salable and total 3,500; active, steady; good to choice 180-240 lb. $14.50; 241 lb. up $13.75; 140-170 lb. $13.25-14.45; sows $13.55 to mostly $13.75.

Cattle salable 11,500; total 12,000; calves salable 1,800; total 2,000; several loads strictly good and choice native fed steers and yearlings steady; but many bids around 25 lower on both natives and grassers; canners and cutter cows steady bulls, vealers and replacement about steady; good and choice medium weight fed steers $16.00-17.25; medium and good short feds held around $14.00-15.50 common and medium grass steers held at $11.50-13.25; good white face feeding steers $13.50-14.25; medium and good light weight stockers $9.50-12.00.

Sheep: salable and total 6,000; no spring lambs sold early; opening bids lower but asking fully steady; best trucked in natives held above $14.25; yearling steady; good and choice shipments $11.25-12.00; common down to $8.50.

Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—(AP)—(WFA)—Salable hogs 19,000; total 24,000; active, complete early clearance, fully steady; good and choice 160-240 lbs. $14.75, and weights over 240 lbs. as well as all sows under 550 lbs. $14.00; only few big weights sows to $13.75; little in run scaling less than 160 lbs.

Salable cattle 8,000; salable calves, 1,000; few loads strictly choice steers and yearlings steady; all others weak to 25 lower; other than choice grade yearling heifers shared steer decline. Cows in moderate supply, weak to 15 lower; bulls very uneven, steady to weak; vealers steady at $15.00 down; largely fat steers and grass cow run; about four loads strictly choice steers $18.00, the top; several loads $17.50-85; but bulk steer and heifer crop unsold; cutter cows $8.00 down, mostly $7.85 down; most beef cows $8.50-11.00; practical top weighty sausage bulls $11.00, few grassers above $10.00; only negligible supply stock cattle here, with demand narrow at $9.00-12.00.

Salable sheep 2,000; total 8,000; opened steady; five doubles good and choice 84 lb. Washington spring lambs carrying about 25 per cent medium end $15.00, with 100 head gate cut at $15.10; little done early on native springers, good and choice kind held above $14.75; package medium and good natives $13.00, with light culls unevenly down to $7.00 and below; early sales common to good shorn ewes $3.00-5.25.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—(AP)—Butter, firm; receipts 735,324; market unchanged.

Eggs, receipts 15,588; unsettled; market unchanged.

Closing of Leading Stocks

	Close Mon.	Close Today
American & For. Power	3⅞	3⅞
American Smelt. & R.	39⅞	39½
American Tel & Tel.	163	162½
American Tobacco, B.	71	71¼
Anaconda	26	25⅝
Atchison T & S F	66	65
Atlas Power	59	58
Aviation Corp.	4⅞	4⅞
Bethlehem Steel	60⅞	60½
Chrysler Corp.	90¾	89⅛
Coca-Cola	134½	—
Curtis Wright	5	5⅛
Curtis-Wright A	16⅝	16½
Du Pont De Nu	153	153
Eastman Kodak	163½	163½
General Electric	38⅛	37⅝
General Foods	42⅝	42½
General Motors	61⅛	61
International Harvester	77	77¼
International Shoe	—	39⅞
International Tel & Tel	18⅜	18¼
Kennecott Corp.	32	31¾
Libbey, McN and L.	8	8
Liggett and Myers B.	84	84
Loose-Wiles Biscuit	32	—
Mid-Cont. Petroleum	25¾	—
Missouri-Kansas-Texas	3⅝	3½
Montgomery-Ward	47	47
Nash-Kelvinator	15⅝	15⅝
National Cash Register	32½	32⅝
North American Co.	18⅝	18⅝
Packard Motor	6⅛	6¼
Pepsi-Cola	55⅝	54¾
Phillips Petroleum	45	44⅝
Purity Baking	23½	23¾
Radio Corp. of America	10¼	10¼
Reynolds Tob. B.	22½	32½
Sears Roebuck	94⅜	94
Skelly Oil	38	37¾
Southern Calif. Edison	—	23⅞
Standard Oil Indiana	32⅝	32⅝
Studebaker Corporation	18¼	17⅞
Swift & Co.	29½	29½
U. S. Steel	58⅜	57¾
Westinghouse El & Mgf.	103½	102½

Some Leaders On the Curb

	Close Mon.	Close Today
American Light and T.	—	16⅜
Arkansas Nat. Gas	—	3⅝
Arkansas Nat Gas A	3½	3⅝
Cities Service	14	14
Cities Service, Pf.	108¼	109
El Bond and Sh.	9½	9⅜
Ford Motor Can A	22	22⅛
Ford Motor Ltd.	—	5½
Nat. Bel. Hes.	2⅜	2½
Standard Oil Ky.	—	—
South Royal.	18½	18¼

Kansas City Produce

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 8.—(AP)—Produce: All prices unchanged.

St. Louis Produce

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 8.—(AP)—Produce prices unchanged.

Chicago Poultry

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—(AP)—(WFA)—Live poultry; about steady; receipts 25 trucks, 2 cars; FOB prices unchanged.

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—(AP)—

	High	Low	Close Today	Close Mon.
WHEAT—				
Sept.	1.54	1.53¼	1.54	1.53¾
Dec.	1.54¼	1.53½	1.54¼	1.53⅝
May	1.54⅜	1.53¾	1.54¼	1.54
July	1.48¾	1.48½	1.48¾	
OATS—				
Sept.	69¼	67¾	68½	68⅛
Dec.	67	65⅞	66⅝	66⅛
May	66¾	65¾	66	66¼
July	64⅞	63¾	64⅛	64½
RYE—				
Sept.	1.03¾	1.02⅛	1.03¼	1.03
Dec.	1.05	1.03⅜	1.04	1.04⅛
May	1.06¾	1.05⅛	1.05⅜	1.06¼
BARLEY—				
BARLEY—				
Sept.	1.10¾	1.09¾	1.10	1.10¼
Dec.	1.09¾	1.08⅝	1.08⅞	1.09¼
May	1.09	1.08¾	1.08¾	1.08¾

Kansas City Cash Grain

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 8.—(AP)—Wheat 489 cars; No. 2 dark hard 1.48-1.53¾; No. 3, 1.46¾-1.49¾; No. 2 hard N 1.47-1.51; No. 3 N 1.46-1.50½. Close Sept. 1.47⅞; Dec. 1.48; May 1.48¼.

Corn 12 cars.

Oats 12 cars; No. 2 white N 70-77; No. 3, N 69-76.

Milo Maize N 2.28-2.36.

Kafir N 2.28-2.36.

Rye 1.12½.

Barley 92-1.08½.

No. 1 hard and dark wheat 1-22c over September; No. 2 hard and dark hard ½ under to 21 over; No. 1 red wheat 1-2½c over; No. 2 red ½ under to 3c over.

Robert Seelan Is Commissioned

Robert Seelan, son of Mrs. J. H. Bagby, 234 South Moniteau avenue, was commissioned an ensign at the Great Lakes Naval school last Friday. His wife and baby are residing for the present with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Beach, 706 South Kentucky avenue.

Ensign Seelan will come to Sedalia for a visit with his family before entering Princeton university on August 25 for an eight weeks course.

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Traffic Bonds Forfeited

Six persons who violated the overtime parking ordinance failed to appear before Magistrate C. W. Bente, in police court this morning and their bonds of $1 each were ordered forfeited.

They were Elwood Fisher, Delbert Arnold, Louise Almquist, Mr. Jones of 101 West Tenth street, a man from 308 South Summit, and a Mr. Jaeger, Royal Hotel.

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'Minute Men' Of Brittany Are Gleeful

Spring To Armed Fury To Help Subdue Germans

By WES GALLAGHER

VANNES, France, Aug. 8—(AP)—The "Minute Men of Brittany"—there is no better name for these men of the French resistance movement—handed over to the American army Monday this city of 20,000.

The American column was given a tumultuous welcome, with tears, wine and flowers mixing with bayonets and blood.

With advance American columns rolling in, this quiet, pretty, wooded country with its fruit trees and hayfields not unlike those of New England, sprang into armed fury overnight.

The armored columns cut the Brest peninsula at this town, after finding the last 60 miles paved for them by the French resistance movement, which captured dozens of villages, neatly gathered up hundreds of German prisoners and jailed the collaborators.

The Minute Men put white arm bands on their sleeves and wore helmets that were relics of the last war. They strung grenades in their belts; dug up the rifles and submarine gun Allied planes dropped by the thousands; met secretly with careful organization, and then fell on the retreating Nazis.

Some died or were wounded in sharp though brief fighting as they seized bridges, destroyed munitions dumps and spread such confusion among the Germans that the enemy split into small pockets. The French promptly reported the locations of the pockets to the American columns.

Warmly Greeted

The Americans entered the city and the tanks halted in the streets. The town was theirs and they felt like movie stars as crowds begged for autographs. Anything was theirs for the asking.

The impact of the emotion staggered the usually wise-cracking soldiers. The friendship was warm hearted, and despite the language barrier, French kids were riding around town in tanks and jeeps ten minutes after the first arrival of the machines.

Meanwhile, our armored spearheads are jabbing the Brittany defenses to death beyond here, pulverizing what pockets of German resistance still remain. Just outside of this town 70 Germans in a roadblock tried to put up a fight and 145 were killed and the remainder captured for one American casualty.

I didn't see any Germans except those who were prisoners, and it seems apparent the Nazis remaining in Brittany are doing their best to get out, not wanting to fight except in the cases of small garrisons near seaports.

Robot Bombs Drive London Underground Again



New, deep underground tunnels of London, Britain's answer to the Nazi flying bombs, are almost luxurious compared to the old shelters built during 1940 blitz. Remaining in the city after evacuation of over a million persons, these Londoners are shown sleeping and eating in the only "home" they know today. Top, one woman puts her children to bed, while other youngsters lie in bunks built along cylinder walls. Warden checks entry permits, bottom left; and children reach for sandwiches, bottom right in one of the shelter's canteens.

SCHOOL CHILDREN

Now, before school starts, have a careful examination of your child's eyes made. The child who sees well LEARNS MORE.

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COMMUNITY NEWS from—

Windsor

Mrs. Mary E. Rains

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Britt of Kansas City, left Friday for Illinois where he will be stationed at a naval air base near Chicago. He has been stationed at Fairfax since returning from duty in the combat area of the Pacific. Mrs. Britt spent two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Cahill, before leaving.

T/Sgt. Marion Zollicker, who has finished thirteen weeks schooling at Fort Sill, Okla., is spending a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Zollicker, and will then go to Fort Jackson, South Carolina.

Jimmy Anderson, small son of Mr. and Mrs. James Anderson, underwent a tonsillectomy at the Wetzel hospital in Clinton, recently.

Mary Kramer, six year old daughter of Mrs. Vera Kramer, underwent a tonsillectomy in Clinton.

Mrs. Russell Thomas visited in Kansas City the past week.

About two hundred and fifty employes and families of International Shoe company met at the park at 7:30 o'clock recently and enjoyed a picnic supper in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Schmidle.

The Meadow Queen Rebekah Lodge met Tuesday evening, July 26, in regular session with Edna Dowell, Noble Grand, presiding. Five members of "Orphans Home" Lodge of Warrensburg, were visitors, Brother Everett Davis, Grand Warden of Independent Order of Odd Fellows of State of Missouri, Sister Davis, who attended the Rebekah State Assembly as a delegate, and Sister Bertha Johnson, District President, were among those present. Sister Davis gave a very good report on State Assembly. Refreshments were served during the social hour.

The 1-0-2 club met Tuesday evening with Mrs. Guy Ferguson. Contract was played at two tables with high score award going to Mrs. Ira Mounts. A dessert course was served preceding the game. The next meeting will be with Mrs. William Turner, August 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hartle received a letter this week from their son, Lt. Leland Hartle, saying that he had been wounded. The extent of his injuries are not known.

Mrs. Leopold Courty returned recently from Warrensburg where she had been a patient in the clinic.

Mrs. R. H. Ira received a letter from her son, Pfc. Henry R. Ira, saying he was back in England and that it was the first time since the invasion started that he had slept in a bed or had a roof over his head. "Dutch" as he is better known in Windsor, was among the first air borne troops landed at the time of the invasion.

Cards have been received announcing the birth of a son, July 11, to Fireman 2/c and Mrs. John T. Bowen, at the Community hospital in Clinton. He weighed eight and one half pounds and was given the name James Mikel.

Cpl. Noland T. Cooper of Fort Sill, Okla., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper. He has been moved to Camp Howze, Tex.

Cpl. J. D. Gladfelter has returned to Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo., after spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gladfelter.

W. H. Twyman has gone to Manitou, Colo., to visit his son, Clarence Twyman, and wife.

Mrs. T. A. Klassen and daughter, Virginia Ann, of Oakland, Calif., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pepper, and her sister, Miss Mattie Pepper.

Short funeral services for Duvall Tindle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Tindle born July 25, who died soon after, were held at the home of the parents conducted by the Rev. E. H. Michalkowsky. Burial was in Laurel Oak cemetery.

Funeral services and burial were held in Troy for Thomas Jefferson Thurman, 91, who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. T. A. Blackmore, in Windsor. At the time of his death he was the oldest member of the Troy Baptist church and of the Masonic order of that city. Those from Windsor attending the services were Dr. and Mrs. T. Blackmore, A. L. Duff, Mrs. John Harris and Mrs. Ollie McCombs.

PIN-WORMS
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A Real Treatment!

You may not realize how many of your neighbors—grown-ups as well as children—have Pin-Worms at this very moment.

People don't talk about this nasty infection. Sometimes they are too embarrassed to mention the tormenting rectal itching; and up to now they have usually suffered in silence because they have not known of any effective way to deal with this dreadful pest that lives inside the human body.

Important Medical Discovery

Today, thanks to a valuable scientific discovery, a remarkable new treatment has been made possible. It is based on a special drug, known as gentian violet. This drug is the vital element in P-W, the new Pin-Worm tablets developed by Dr. D. Jayne & Son. America's leading specialists in worm medicines. P-W tablets are small and easy to take, and they act in a special, gentle way to destroy Pin-Worms.

It is very easy to "catch" this nasty infection, and the ugly creatures can cause real distress. So watch for the signs that may mean Pin-Worms: itching seat, uneasy stomach, bed-wetting, nervous fidgeting. If you suspect Pin-Worms, get a box of P-W right away and follow the simple directions carefully.

P-W means Pin-Worm relief!

Workingman



Four-year-old David Speaker, above, of Conshohocken, Pa., is believed to be the youngest worker in the U. S. to hold a Social Security card. The Norristown, Pa., Social Security Board Bureau issued him card No. 171-22-6865 when it learned that David's new job as a fashion model for a New York agency was being held up until he obtained Social Security status.

COMMUNITY NEWS from—

Clarksburg

Mrs. Maude Albin

Mary Louise Donley, of Otterville, spent last week visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Donley, and her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Donley and family.

Mrs. Golder Martin and Miss Martha Stinson attended the "Willing Workers" club meeting Wednesday at the home of Mamie Vaughan, southeast of Clarksburg.

Mrs. J. H. Stinson had as dinner guests Thursday her grandmother, Mrs. W. R. Sidebottom and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Purnell, of Latham. Sunday she had as dinner guests: Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Birdsong and family and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Pardoe and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Purnel were guests in the afternoon. The dinners were given in honor of Mrs. Stinson's husband, Pvt. J. H. Stinson, who is home on furlough from Camp Blankley, Fla.

Mrs. Leonard Ratcliffe and daughter, Donna, of Kansas City, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hunter, and with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ratcliffe.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Don Kayes, of Kansas City, have been guests the past several days in the home of Mr. Hayes' aunt, Mrs. Jocie Medlin. Sunday Mrs. Medlin's father, J. W. Kayes and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Don Kayes spent the day in Glenstead with Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Woolery.

Ruby May Yarnell spent the week-end in Jefferson City with Mary Lou Medlin.

Velma Jo Hoback, of Bunceton, has been spending a few days with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Simpson.

Martin Battles, Jr., went to Centertown Sunday to visit with his wife and infant daughter, who, on the day before had been removed from St. Mary's hospital in Jefferson City to the home of Mrs. Battles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hentges, near Centertown where she will remain a few days before returning to her home near Clarksburg.

William Gregory went to Jefferson City Monday on business.

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Negro Troops In Service 700,000

SOMEWHERE IN FRANCE, Aug. 8—(AP)—Brig. Gen. Oliver Davis, only Negro general in the U. S. Army, told war correspondents Monday night there now are 700,000 Negro troops in the U. S. forces, with approximately 5,000 commissioned officers, and that he was looking to the day when there would be at least 10,000 Negro officers.

Commenting on racial differences, General Davis said "when I was in London two years ago our own soldiers didn't get along so well with each other but now on this side I have been told there is no racial unpleasantness."

The general said he had found morale among Negro troops in Normandy "very high—I haven't heard a growl yet."

For Ambulance Service Ph 8

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I'd rather skip any new car rush—worse than a nylon stocking sale after War. More cars have already gone out of the running than ever were built any year! How'll everybody get his new one overnight? But I've come this far with my engine OIL-PLATED, so I figure I'll be all right. I'll just keep it safely OIL-PLATED by staying with my good old friend Conoco Nth motor oil. If you think you can beat it, okay. But remember, any engine is bound to have acids inside from every explosion. Therefore you'd risk too much grief from corrosion, as I understand, except that OIL-PLATING is made to check it.

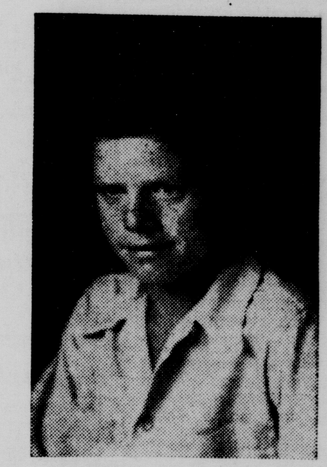
The cans of Nth oil tell you about a modern synthetic that does the OIL-PLATING. You'd imagine it's kind of magnetized to working parts, making a protective surface to shed off acids, before the worst happens. Good thing you needn't wait for an OIL-PLATED engine; you can have that whole improvement *now*, using Conoco Nth oil.

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John Van Hoozer	Windsor
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CIRCULATION DEPARTMENT

Sedalia Democrat-Capital

I–Announcements

2—Card of Thanks

HEERMAN: MRS. PAULINE A.—Our sincere thanks to all our neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy in the loss of our dear wife and mother.
Joseph T. Heerman
and family.

7—Personals

HAIR GREYING? Pantocal Vitamins. 90 days supply. $1.98. Star Drug.

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LADIES—IRREGULAR? — Take Dales Femocol Tonic tablets, $1.29. Star Drugs.

I SELL EVERYTHING AT public auction. Ralph Stuart, auctioneer. Phone 69-F-13, Sedalia, Mo. Reverse charge.

10—Strayed, Lost, Found

LOST: Gold lapel pin. Call 1442.

LOST: Lady's gold wrist watch near 4th and Osage. Phone 3163.

LOST: Ball glove, Monday night, West 7th. Phone 4023. Reward.

LOST: Black and white Pointer. Owner's name, Lester Estes, 1000 South Carr, on collar. Phone 1414. Reward for return.

WILL THE PERSON who found a Bible in Liberty Park Sunday p. m. contact the Rev. George L. Ferrenburg, Houstonia, Missouri.

II–Automotive

11—Automobiles for Sale

GOOD USED CARS—15th and Ohio. Archie Decker.

1937 CHEVROLET—Coupe, Frank Martin, La Monte. Phone 23-F-21.

13—Auto Accessories, Tires Parts

CAR RADIO and heater. 1002 South Ohio. Phone 4125-W.

JUST RECEIVED — large shipment truck and passenger relinders, all sizes. Truck and passenger boots all sizes and plenty of good pre-war repaired truck tubes, all sizes. From 6:50x20 to 9:00x20. Dunlop Tire and Rubber Company. 211 West Main. Phone 3249. Open 8:30 a. m. close 6 p. m. Saturday 9 p. m.

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15—Motorcycles and Bicycles

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JUST RECEIVED: Shipment bicycle parts, including rubber pedals, rubber grips and saddles. Dell's Shop, 116 West 3rd.

16—Reparing—Service Stations

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III–Business Service

18—Business Services Offered

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21—Dressmaking and Millinery

WANTED: To make machine buttonholes. Seam to notch. Dress making. 520 Lafayette.

24—Laundering

LAUNDRY WANTED—No ironing 819 East 11th. Phone 2739-J.

25—Moving, Trucking Storage

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29—Repairing and Refinishing

REPAIRING, REMODELING — Free estimate. Tom Ware. Phone 2664.

IV–Employment

32—Help Wanted—Female

WANTED LADY — for general housework. Phone 2163-J. 1116 West 11th.

WAITRESS WANTED—some experience. Apply in person. McKenzie Coffee Shop.

WANTED HOUSEKEEPER—neat, efficient, good cook. Room, private bath furnished. St. Louis County. Box "7" care Democrat.

33—Help Wanted—Male

WANTED MAN—Apply Archias Seed Store. 106 East Main.

SERVICE STATION WORK—Browns Automotive Clinic, 3rd and Osage.

MECHANICS AND LABORERS: Apply 420 West 16th. Independent Plumbing Company.

WANTED—metal man and painter. Apply in person. Bryant Motor Company.

FARM COUPLE: Tractor, live stock experience. Large farm near Kansas City. Fine opportunity for right couple. Write box "81" care Democrat.

WANTED—married man, steady work on farm. W. F. Rife, Houstonia.

MAN OF RESPONSIBLE—character for shipping, receiving clerk, opportunity to grow with new concern. Good salary, pleasant working surroundings, references required. Town and Country Shoes. 110 North Missouri.

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IV–Employment

36—Situation Wanted—Female

WANTED DAY WORK, curtains and blankets laundered. Phone 1328 evenings.

37—Situations Wanted—Male

WANTED: General carpenter and repair work. M. M. Curry, 410 East 4th.

V–Financial

40—Money to Loan—Mortgages

CHOICE FARM LOANS 4%, no commission. See W. D. Smith.

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VII–Live Stock

47—Dogs, Cats, other Pets

BULL DOGS for sale. 2218 East Broadway.

47-A—Rabbits For Sale

WHITE NEW ZEALAND RABBITS—all sizes, 3 weeks old. 25c. Call 2338.

48—Horses, Cattle other Stock

BREEDING EWES—Frank Colbern. Phone 3094.

34 EWES $10; registered Angus bull, $125. Hankins, Phone 3-F-32.

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CHOICE breeding ewes. Phone Otterville 3630. Hugh Griffith, Route 2.

OR TRADE: 3 young work mares for milk cows. 9 miles Southwest LaMonte. Sidney Morton.

48—Horses, Cattle other Stock Continued

HEAVY WORK MARE—age 9. Robinson, 2 miles southeast LaMonte.

TEN GRADE—Hampshire Ewes, ram lambs. 65-F-4. E. Embry, route 2, Sedalia.

WE PAY — for dead animals, horses, cattle and hogs, if not skinned or decomposed. We pay telephone charges. Phone Sedalia, Phone 3033.

49—Poultry and Supplies

WHITE ROCK — Fryers. Phone 4068.

TOP PRICE PAID for quality fryers and hens. Will Farris. Phone 177.

50—Wanted—Live Stock

WANTED: TOY TERRIER dog. Phone 1926. 1009 West 6th.

VIII–Merchandise

51—Articles for Sale

BABY CARRIAGE—like new. 702 South Kentucky. Phone 3108.

SPECIALS: Shoes, clothing, furniture, 12 to 8. 115 East 2nd.

PLAYER PIANO—Electric Thor flat ironer, ice-box. 1422 South Park.

1937 TABLE MODEL — Philco radio. Also nice violin. Phone 1341-W.

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54—Business, Office Equipment

12 FOOT MEAT display case with motor. Meyer Food Market. Phone 942.

REMINGTON Standard typewriter $40. Leota Hutsler, Lincoln, Missouri, Route 2.

VIII–Merchandise

59—Household Goods Continued

ANTIQUE WALNUT —Secretary. 1015 East 17th.

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63—Seeds, Plants, Flowers

DUNLAP STRAWBERRY—plants for sale. Phone 1879-W.

64—Specials At The Stores

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Cow Fly Covers, reg $2.19 Special	$1.87
Fence control, reg. $15.75 Special	$12.88
Starter Finisher poultry battery, reg. $49.00 Special	$44.88
Nest Section, reg. $8.95 Special	7.88
Stock Waterer, reg. $3.25 Special	$2.69
Galv. Steel corner Posts with brace, reg. $3.18 Special	$2.69
Steel Flower stakes, reg 10c Special	7½c
2-Way Fly Insect paint, reg. $1.39 Special	98c
Garden Spray, reg $1.79 Special	$1.59

WARDS FARM STORE

66—Wanted To Buy

WANTED GAS RANGE—Phone 1836-W.

WANTED 7 foot tractor mower. Phone 3903-J.

FLY ROD in good condition. Call 1517 after 5 p. m.

CASH—for your band instruments. 1629 South Park. Phone 3037-W.

WANTED: Table model radio. Phone 251.

WANTED BOYS BICYCLE — studio couch, good condition. Phone 3507.

PIANO WANTED—give make, age, and price. Write Box 45-R. Care Democrat.

WANTED GOOD bicycle, balloon tires. 1310 South Harrison. Phone 1959-W.

CASH FOR POULTRY; eggs and cream. Full line of poultry and live stock feed. Square Deal Produce Company, 302 West Main. Phone 836.

CASH—for your furniture, stoves and rugs. Callies Furniture Co. Phone 412.

WANTED USED KODAK or cameras, electric razors, small table model radios. Joe Chasnoff, 307 South Ohio.

PAPER, RAGS, feathers, sheep pelts, cow and horse hides. M. and M. Hide and Wool Company, 301 West Main. Phone 59.

IX–Rooms and Board

68—Rooms without Board

SLEEPING ROOM — gentleman preferred. 405 East 7th. Phone 3195-W.

68—Rooms without Board

SLEEPING ROOM — employed days only. Phone 2376. 318 West Broadway.

X–Real Estate for Rent

77—Houses for Rent

MODERN CABINS—garages, by week, West City Limits. Phone 2571.

81—Wanted—To Rent

WANTED: 5-6 room house, west, 2 adults. Phone 3324-J.

WANTED: MODERN unfurnished house. Phone 3942-J or 277. Tom Darrah.

WANTED: 4 TO 6 room furnished house. Permanent couple. Call 37 during day. 1173 evenings.

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GENTLEMAN EMPLOYED — downtown desires sleeping room (with board if available) in private home. Permanent. References if desired. Address box "22" Care Democrat.

XI–Real Estate for Sale

83—Farms and Land for Sale

SMALL tract of land. Close in. Inquire 1302 North Grand.

SMALL IMPROVED FARM—immediate possession. Kent D. Johnson, phone 700.

OR RENT—191 Acres, 6 miles south of Sedalia, 4 room house. Barn, chicken house, brooder house, good well, granery. Phone 1933.

TWO HOUSES—6 acres, 5 acres, well improved, outbuildings, good location reasonable, also few farms. Cheap. See T. J. Williams, Green Ridge, Missouri.

84—Houses for Sale.

ROOM HOUSE. Inquire 919 West 10th. 4389-M.

55-A—Farm Equipment

MISSOURI Mule hay baler. Phone 2053. C. R. Bothwell.

10-20 McCORMICK - DEERING tractor, 14 inch tractor plow. Good condition. W. E. Neil, Windsor, Missouri. Route 2, 5 miles east of Windsor.

56—Fuel, Feed Fertilizer

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WINDSOR LUMP COAL, also general hauling. Phone 446. Roscoe Thomas.

57-A—Fruits and Vegetables

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SWEET CORN: Come and get it. 1822 South Ingram.

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59—Household Goods

ANTIQUE WALNUT — bedroom suite. Phone 4083.

RANGE STOVE, coal or wood. Price $10. 510 West Pettis.

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GAS RANGE—three gas furnaces, 3 floor show case, one Kelvinator. 6th and New York, Dixie Donut Shop.

25 POUND ice box, desk, 4 burner oil stove, complete beds, oak stove, oak dining suite, other items. 217 East 2nd.

XI–Real Estate for Sale

84—Houses For Sale Continued

FIVE ROOM house, modern except heat. 1406 East 13th.

804 WEST THIRD—815 East 19th. Powell M. Cain, Administrator.

SIX ROOMS—and sleeping porch. Modern west side, also have some small houses. W. O. Stanley. Phone 25.

NEWLY DECORATED — inside and out, 5 room house, modern except heat. 314 West 10th. Call Owner 3997.

7 ROOM HOUSE, strictly modern, good condition, corner Broadway and New York. Price $4,000. Phone 1059-W.

9 ROOMS—Modern except heat, one block court house, $500 cash, balance monthly, possession, shown by appointment. Kent D. Johnson, phone 700.

FIVE ROOM HOUSE — modern except heat, 648 East Broadway. See Berger, 618 East Broadway.

REAL OPPORTUNITY to acquire property from the rental income. See 4 apartments at 916-18 East Third and large home with three apartments at 517 South Hancock. Phone 352 for appointment.

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"You list 'em, I'll sell 'em.

XI–Real Estate for Sale

84—Houses For Sale Continued

FIVE ROOMS strictly modern, East Broadway. Hardwood floors, pipe furnace, corner lot. See Owner at 1003 East Broadway.

310 WEST THIRD—Seven rooms, 2 baths, hot air heat, basement, a good, close-in property nicely arranged for a combination home and income producer. 103 South Prospect, 5 rooms, modern except heat, possession, 905 South Moniteau, 6 rooms, modern, furnace with fan, garage, possession. See McLaughlin at Porter Real Estate Company, Exclusive Agent.

89—Wanted—Real Estate

I HAVE SEVERAL BUYERS — for small houses with possession within 30 days. Kent D. Johnson. Phone 700.

Mrs. Beardsley Qualifying Leader

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Leading qualifying scores today in the Women's Western Amateur Golf tournament; included Mrs. Charles E. Beardsley, Sedalia, Mo., 45-39-84; Jean Hutto, Kansas City, Mo., 43-42-85.

Mrs. Beardsley, wife of First Lieut. Beardsley of the Sedalia Army Air Field, is representing the Sedalia Country club in the tournament, and left for Chicago late last week in order to have practice rounds Saturday and Sunday.

She is a women's amateur champion in Ohio, her former home state.

Lieut. and Mrs. Beardsley, who reside at 604 West Sixth street, have been members of the Country club for well over a year and during the last two summers Mrs. Beardsley has been playing the club course.

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Members are asked to bring needle and thimble to hem towels during the afternoon which are needed for the check room.

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Mrs. Russell Sims, 620 East Broadway, who has been a patient in the Missouri Pacific hospital, St. Louis, has returned to her home.

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70 Acres, modern improvements, well located.
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1940 Pontiac 4 door touring sedan, radio and heater, good tires	1,146.00	1,140.00
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1939 Pontiac Club Coupe (a dandy)	860.00	860.00
1937 Pontiac Coach	554.00	550.00
1940 Plymouth Coach	923.00	923.00
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1936 Chevrolet pick-up (stock racks)	at ceiling	at ceiling
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$15.00 each
FOR A LIMITED NUMBER OF
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COMMUNITY NEWS from—

California

Mrs. J. E. Zey

Mrs. L. R. Mull and daughter, Miss Ruth, accompanied by Rodney Harris, went to Kansas City, Kas., recently to attend the funeral of Mrs. Mull's mother, Mrs. Mary Ann Hasmier, 80, who died suddenly at the home of her son, Tom Hasemier. Besides the daughter, Mrs. Mull, and the son, Tom, she is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Paul Enos, of Gravois Mills. Her husband died 17 years ago. Funeral services and burial were held in Kansas City, Kas.

Miss Henrietta Pummil became suddenly ill last week while visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Murrell, at Trenton. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pummil, were called and Miss Pummil was rushed to a hospital where she was operated on for appendicitis. She is reported to be doing nicely. Her mother is with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nash have gone to Marshfield, Wis., to visit their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Reveling.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Cook of Washington, D. C., arrived recently to visit his mother and sister, Mrs. W. S. Cook and Miss Gladys Cook.

Ed Zey is reported to be quite ill at his home. His illness is thought to be from an injury received about a year ago.

Ruth Jobe, 14-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rube Jobe, is critically ill with rheumatic fever at the Children's Mercy hospital in Kansas City.

Miss Margaret Wingate, employed at the Wilcox Electric company in Kansas City, is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Edith Wingate, and her brother, Eugene.

Clarence Stark of Kansas City visited Wednesday with his aunts, Mrs. G. L. Howard and Mrs. Raymond Lawson.

The Rev. and Mrs. Gordon Carpenter have gone to Kansas City where Rev. Carpenter will assist in a revival meeting.

Miss Alice Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Reed, and Sgt. Robert George Beckmeyer of the United States Army, were married at the Christian church Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, the Rev. J. Robert Moffett reading the double ring ceremony. They left immediately after for Spokane, Wash., near his base, Camp George Wright, where he is stationed with the 707th Army Band.

Miss Delores Hofstetter became the bride of Pvt. Edward Bestgen of the U. S. Army July 26. The Rev. Fr. J. J. Ahern officiated at the ceremony at the Annunciation Catholic church rectory at 10:00 o'clock in the morning.

Misses Iola and Viola Less visited over the week-end with their brother, J. H. Less, aviation cadet at Independence.

Major General R. C. Moore of Washington, D. C., arrived recently to visit his sister, Miss Harriett Moore.

Mrs. J. J. Heinen of Kansas City and son, Cpl. John J. Heinen, of the Marines, who is stationed at Ocean Side, Calif., recently visited relatives and friends here.

John Glover and sister, Miss Effie Glover, of Alamo, Tex., were here over the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Proctor.

Mrs. J. W. Asahl has returned from San Diego, Calif., where she spent several weeks visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Zimmerman.

Phillip Hess, 74, at one time a merchant in California, and whose late wife, before her marriage, was Miss Caroline Hoepfinger, died July 28 at his home in Jefferson City. He had been in good health until a few days before his death. He leaves the following children: Mrs. Victor Heinrich of Jefferson City, and Miss Selma Hess, registered nurse at Deconess hospital in St. Louis. Funeral services were held at the Evangelical church in Jefferson City the following Sunday afternoon, the Rev. H. A. Darum officiating. Burial was in Riverside cemetery.

Major and Mrs. F. A. Brinkman of Lynbrook, N. Y., are parents of a daughter born July 25. They have a four and one-half-year-old son. Mrs. Brinkman was formerly Miss Oma Allen, of this place.

Billy Todd has returned from Kansas City, where he has been under the care of a doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Bolin and family have gone to Hanover, Ill., to live.

Mrs. A. B. Cole, Jr., and daughters, Misses Jane and Mary Ann, of Jefferson City, visited relatives here recently.

Unusual Potato

Albert Johnson, 408 North Summit avenue, brought to the Sedalia Democrat-Capital office Saturday a potato resembling a monkey which he found in his potato patch in his yard.

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Red Heroine



Her friendly smile belying her fighting heart, 20-year-old Senior Lt. Ekaterina Novikova poses for the cameraman. Commander of a Red Army infantry company, the 20-year-old heroine has been wounded five times and has been twice decorated for distinguished conduct in action.

Coleman Picks Cubs to Win Second Place

Discussing the Cards He Says, 'Let's Talk Of Something Else'

By Jack Hand
Associated Press Sports Writer

Bob Coleman, manager of the Boston Braves, today picked the Chicago Cubs to win the second-place scrap in the National League and labeled the Bruins' Bill Nicholson the most valuable player in the circuit.

As the National's eastern teams headed west for their last long jaunt of the season and the St. Louis Browns led the American's western clubs on a final eastern invasion, Coleman left little doubt about his concession of the flag to the St. Louis Cardinals whom he called the "only real ball club" in the majors.

With the exception of the New York Giants and Pittsburgh Pirates who are playing off a postponed game in Pittsburgh, all big league clubs enjoyed a second successive open date.

With the Cards enjoying a 16½ game lead and only 55 to go, National league managers couldn't be blamed for following Coleman's train of thought and talking about the second place scrap.

The portly catcher from back home in Indiana who is completing his first season as a big league manager doesn't hit Chicago for another week, but thoughts of Nicholson trouble his sleep.

"When the Cubs were stumbling around the basement, Nicholson was hitting around .230," the Boston skipper pointed out, "he didn't hit a homer until mid-way, like last year, but once he started those Cubs have been plenty rough."

"Marty Marion of the Cards is a close second to Nicholson as most valuable but I think Nick does more for the Cubs than Marion can do for St. Louis. That Marion, though, is an octopus at shortstop. With help like that no wonder Billy Southworth's pitching looks good. Johnny Hopp is having a great year and Ray Sanders . . . and Kurowski . . . and. Let's talk about something else."

• Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8—(AP)—Esquire's all American boys' game yesterday attracted 17,803 and a lot of people who paid for tickets didn't go. . . . With due allowances for the effects of promotion, that indicates a healthy interest in the old-fashioned American game of baseball-for-fun. . . . It was a good show and this dept. hereby votes against the suggestion that future games be staged as preliminaries to the major league all star fiestas. The kids showed they could stand on their own feet.

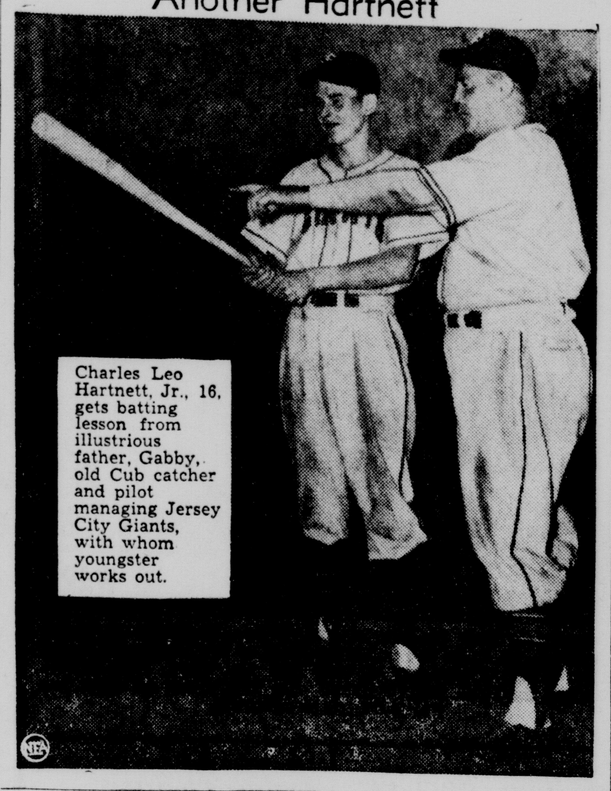
Scrap Collection

Overlooked fact about the major league all-star game last month was that Rip Sewell was only the second pitcher in the 12-year history of the game to work a three-inning stint without giving a hit. The first was Ol' Diz Dean in 1936. . . . What's this story that Actor Don Ameche, who is miffed because the National Football league tabled his franchise application, has been joining with Christy Walsh, John Keeshin of Chciago, Tony Morabito of San Francisco and Buffalo's Sam Cordovano in secret meetings concerning a new league? . . . Manuel Ortiz, the bantamweight champ, could collect $15,000 for defending his title against Kui Kong Yung in Honolulu but Manager Tommy Farmer vetoed the trip. . . . Welterweight Artie Dorrell was washed out as an army pilot 12 days before he would have received his wings because of (would you believe it) lack of co-ordination.

Purely Personal Postcript

In spite of pinch-hitter Frizt Howell's ballyhoo, the fish weren't biting in New Hampshire, where this columnist recently vacationed. . . Also, there was no one to split the firewood or mow the perpendicular meadow, so don't ask how we enjoyed it.

Another Hartnett



Charles Leo Hartnett, Jr., 16, gets batting lesson from illustrious father, Gabby, old Cub catcher and pilot managing Jersey City Giants, with whom youngster works out.

Jr. Legion Beats Marshall 2 to 0

The Sedalia Junior Legion handed the Marshall Merchants baseball team a 2 to 0 defeat Sunday afternoon on the Marshall diamond. The Sedalia team played some of the finest baseball they have played all season.

Gene May was on the mound for Sedalia all the way and did a very fine job by allowing only three hits. Schumaker was on the other end of the battery for the local team and is working into a very nice catcher, after playing most of the season in another position. Capes playing centerfield for the Sedalia team made a play which brought cheers from the stands by slipping in from the field to catch a throw from the pitcher to second base and tagged a Marshall runner out by surprise. All the Sedalia boys were on their toes and played heads-up baseball all afternoon because they were out to even the score with Marshall since they had defeated them earlier in the season.

The Warsaw Merchants come to Sedalia next Sunday afternoon when the Junior Legion returns to the Liberty Park diamond to play. This will be the first meeting of these two teams this year.

Fights Monday Night

By The Associated Press

CHICAGO — Joe Baksi, 213¾, Kulpmont, Pa. outpointed Lee Savold, 199, Paterson, N. J. 10.

NEWARK, N. J.—Buster Tyler, 144, Palm Beach, Fla., outpointed Maxie Shapiro, 136, New York, 8.

NEW YORK — Lew Maxwell, 138, Newark, outpointed Al Guido, 135, New York, 8.

BALTIMORE — Pedro Hernandez, New York, 129, outpointed Hubert Samuels, 135, Philadelphia, 10.

PROVIDENCE, R. I. — Charlie Smith, 134, Newark, T. K. O. Jean Barriere, 132, Montreal, 4.

Sports Mirror

By the Associated Press

TODAY A YEAR AGO — St. Louis Cardinals led the National league by 13 games, New York Yankee led American by 9.

THREE YEARS AGO — Brooklyn Dodgers moved into first place in National league pennant race.

FIVE YEARS AGO — Peter Astia won $21,341 Hambletonian trotting classic at Goshen.

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Society and Clubs

At 4:30 oclock Saturday afternoon, July 29, in St. Mary's chapel in Washington cathedral in Washington, D. C., Canon C. W. F. Smith read the double ring service uniting in marriage Miss Arline Elizabeth Downs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James F. Downs, 716 West Seventh street, and Capt. Raymond W. Latham, M. C., of the Army Air Forces, son of Mrs. O. R. Latham of Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white Swiss marquisette fashioned with tight bodice, sweetheart neck, long sleeves and full skirt. Ruffles edged the front neckline and the sleeves and fell in a cascade from the waistline in the back to form a short train. Her elbow length veil of tulle was held in place by a band of orange blossoms. Her only ornament was a strand of pearls, a gift of the bridegroom and she carried a Colonial bouquet of white roses and gardenias.

Miss Harriet Courtney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Courtney of Sedalia, served as maid of honor. Her gown was of printed marquisette, white background sprinkled with pink rosebuds. It was designed as the bride's, but was floor-length only, with three-quarter sleeves. Her Juliet cap was made of matching material, braided. She carried a Colonial bouquet of pink roses and gladioli.

Lieut. Benny Knupp was best man and Lieut. Paul Crouch and Lieut. Dave Jones were ushers. All are from Pope Field, Fayetteville, N. C.

The bride's mother wore a dress of aqua mesh with white accessories and the bridegroom's mother chose a navy blue ensemble with navy and white accessories. They each wore a corsage of gardenias.

After the ceremony a supper was served to the wedding party and guests at the Kenesaw apartments. A three-tiered wedding cake centered the long table decorated with bowls of asters of pastel shades and white candles.

The bride attended Fontbonne college in St. Louis and is a graduate of the University of Missouri, where she majored in art. She has taught art in the Sedalia public schools the past two years. Mrs. Latham is a member of Delta Phi Delta, national honorary art fraternity, and of Kappa Alpha Theta, social sorority.

Captain Latham is a graduate of the State University of Iowa and of Harvard medical school. He served his interneship at Peter Bent Brigham hospital and Children's hospital in Boston. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and of Phi Kappa Psi social fraternity.

The bride's going-away costume was a two-piece red linen dress worn with black accessories, with a gardenia corsage.

Among the guests attending the wedding were Miss Shirley Latham of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, sister of the bridegroom, Miss Elizabeth McLaughlin, Miss Mary Jane Allison, Capt. and Mrs. John G. Crawford, all former Sedalians now residing in the nation's capital.

Captain Latham is attending the School for Tropical Medicine at the Army Medical Center in Washington, and at present he and his bride are residing in Silver Springs, Md. Later Capt. and Mrs. Latham will go to Fayetteville, N. C., where his squadron is based at Pope Field, a Troop Carrier Command base.

Mrs. Ed Shipp of Windsor, entertained in honor of her daughter, Sarah Sue's fourth birthday, Wednesday, Aug. 2, 1944 with a party. Games were in charge of Jackie Coit whose birthday was also the second. Following the games, refreshments were served at an improvised table in the yard. A birthday cake with four candles served as a centerpiece. Sara Sue received many nice gifts.

Those present other than above mentioned were: Mrs. R. G. Smart and Larry Lane of Independence, Mo.; Mary Margaret Elbert, Ray Eldridge, David Dial, Kathleen Sims, Johnny Port, Scottie Sappington, Sara Scrogham, Nancy Windsor, Mary Lillian Mounts, Dottie Jean Bowen, Dorothy Lou Womble, Donnie Watson, Gary Hill, Joan Woolridge, Durbin Shipp and Mrs. C. M. Durbin. Mrs. John Pattison assisted Mrs. Ed Shipp with the serving.

Mrs. Edith Richards of 818 East Fifth street, had as her guests at a 6 o'clock dinner Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Roy Conn and daughter Barbara Lee and Miss Mary Louise Kuhn.

Visit Father In Hospital

Mr. and Mrs. James Gehringer, 2309 South Kentucky avenue, went to St. Louis Sunday to see Mrs. Gehringer's father, W. M. Carroll, who is a patient in the Missouri Pacific hospital, and returned Sunday night.

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At a meeting of the Arator Homemakers on August 2 fourteen dish towels for the Melita Day nursery were completed. The meeting, which was the July session, was held at the home of Mrs. Everett Brereton with eleven members and 12 visitors present.

The meeting was opened by all singing "America the Beautiful." Mrs. N. A. Cook gave the devotional. Roll call was answered by giving a summer dessert recipe.

A decision was reached to have a basket supper sometime during this month, and following adjournment the afternoon was spent in making the dish towels for the nursery.

The club will meet next at the home of Mrs. Melvin May on August 30.

COMMUNITY NEWS from—

Houstonia

Mrs. Bennie Martin

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Newsom and sons, Lloyd and Lee Arden, recently visited relatives at Kansas City, Topeka, Kas., and Jefferson City while Mr. Newson was on vacation from the Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line station plant here. The Newsom family and the Anderson family of Sedalia spent the week-end on the Lake of the Ozarks.

Mrs. Charles Ferris and daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Pummill, and son, Larry, have returned to their home in Kansas City after a visit here.

Miss Mary Rogers of Kansas City is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. C. Westbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul T. Killion spent several days recently with relatives at Jefferson City and Columbia.

Mrs. Ed Carver, who has been at Mt. Vernon several months, came home last week.

Mrs. Jim Martin has returned to her home in Kansas City after visiting relatives and friends here.

Ray and Bob Haggard, twins, both in military service, spent a short furlough last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thad Haggard. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Williams and two children of Kansas City also spent several days in the Haggard home.

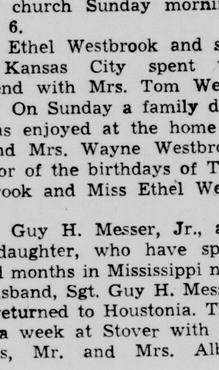
The two-weeks revival meeting held at the Baptist church by the Rev. Sisk of Marshall closed Sunday afternoon. Rev. Potter, pastor, baptised six persons Sunday afternoon at the Government pond on the William Cashman farm. There were nine additions to the church. Rev. Potter left Sunday evening for his church near California, Mo., where on Monday night he began revival services. The Rev. C. C. Cox of Miami, Mo., associational missionary, will preach at Houstonia Baptist church Sunday morning, August 6.

Miss Ethel Westbrook and sister of Kansas City spent the week-end with Mrs. Tom Westbrook. On Sunday a family dinner was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Westbrook in honor of the birthdays of Tom Westbrook and Miss Ethel Westbrook.

Mrs. Guy H. Messer, Jr., and little daughter, who have spent several months in Mississippi near her husband, Sgt. Guy H. Messer, have returned to Houstonia. They spent a week at Stover with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moore.

Mrs. Funkhouser and children of Fort Madison, Ia., are visiting her sisters and brother, Mrs. John Higgins, Miss Ruby Tuck, and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Tuck, Sr. Mr. Funkhouser has been transferred from Iowa to New York in his work. The family will join him in New York soon.

Cpl. Harold Walker, son of Mrs. Sarah Walker, 500 West Fifth street, is now serving as an aircraft mechanic in the engine repair section of the largest air service command depot in Britain. Before entering the air forces in August, 1942, he was employed as an aircraft mechanic by the North American Aviation company in Kansas City. Cpl. Walker attended the Smith-Cotton high school here.



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Pride shines from the face of Mrs. Evelyn Thompson of Upper Montclair, N. J., as she points to photo of her husband, Marine Capt. Milton Thompson, showing him and Capt. Paul O'Neal planting the U. S. flag on Guam. She took a day off from her War Bond job to celebrate.

In The Service

J. A. Bane, 17 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bane, 78 Erie street, Lancaster, New York, formerly of Otterville, Mo., has enlisted in the United States Merchant Marines. He entered the service July 26 and is at Sampson, New York, where he is receiving his basic training.

Duane Beucke, who is stationed in France, has been promoted from a sergeant technician to staff sergeant, according to word received by his wife. He is the son of Mrs. Gertie Beucke. Both his wife and mother reside at 702 South Washington avenue.

Staff Sergeant Carl W. Arnett is now in Italy. He spent twenty-two days there in February and was then sent to North Africa for four months. He is on an administrative platoon at a rest camp and writes that he likes his work very much. His wife and two children are residing with her parents until he returns.

Cadet Kenneth L. Ruffin, son of J. P. Ruffin of Green Ridge, Mo., was graduated recently at the Harana Army Air Field, Tucson, Ariz., after completing his basic flying training course there.

He attended Green Ridge high school and before entering service was engaged in farming.

An Eighth Air Force Liberator Station, England—S/Sgt. Lloyd J. Schouten of Houstonia, Mo., has been awarded the Air Medal for "meritorious achievement" in aerial combat.

He is a tail gunner on a B-24 Liberator heavy bomber. He has participated in 15 bombing missions over Germany and enemy occupied Europe.

S/Sgt. Schouten is the son of Clarence S. Schouten, Houstonia, Missouri.

In civilian life, he was a farmer employed by his father. He entered the army on February 6, 1943 and has been overseas since March, 1944.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wild, 1302 West Fifth street, have learned of the promotion of their son, Robert Wild, from the rank of private first class to that of corporal. Cpl. Wild is in a hospital at Fort Lawton, Wash., where he is convalescing from an emergency appendectomy.

Picnic August 11

The Quisenberry Community club will hold its annual picnic supper at the Quisenberry school on Friday evening, August 11, at 7:30 o'clock. The social committee will be in charge.

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Lodge Notices

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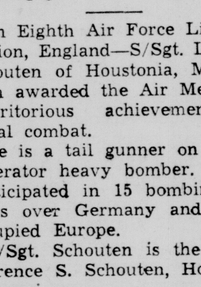
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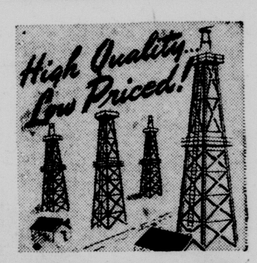


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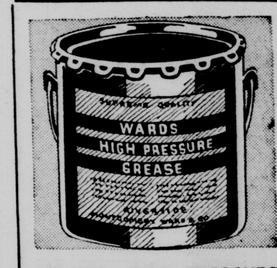
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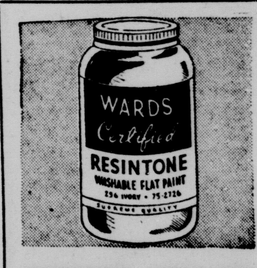
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